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MR. DEWDNEY'S PECCADILLOES COMING UP.

Attaches of the Department Doing Private Service for the Minister—A Valet and a Carpenter Furnished the Hon. Edgar at the Country's Expense.

Special to the TIMES.]

OTTAWA, July 29.—At the Public Accounts Committee to-day, a messenger of the Interior Department named Peart swore that he was employed by Mr. Dewdney as a butler, valet and bootblack, and in doing general chores, in addition to accompanying the Minister on his trips, when he got $1.50 a day for expenses. He stayed all the time at Mr. Dewdney's house, and his salary was charged to the Interior Department. A carpenter in the Interior Department said that while he drew $2 a day for 365 days in the year, part of his time was occupied in making mosquito screens, wardrobes, kitchen tables and other things for Dewdney's residence. When he got his holidays he was paid for the time by the department, and went to work for Dewdney.

In the Tarte-McGreevy investigation, the report of the accountants shows that the amount of Larkin, Connolly & Co's contracts from 1878 to 1889 was $3,138,000; profits thereon, $954,000.

Edward Vincent, the apostle of the Imperial Trade League, was banquetted last evening by one hundred members of the House of Commons. Ministers Thompson, Foster and Bowell were present.

FROM THE METROPOLIS.

Interesting News From the Old World Gathered in London.

LONDON, July 29.—Advices from Hamburg state that the Russian refugees throughout Germany are anxiously awaiting news of the reception of assisted Jewish emigrants in the United States. The Jews, almost without exception would prefer to go to America, where they have been given to understand they would have the same rights as everybody else and would be exempt from military service, for which they have special aversion. Letters received from Russian and Polish Jews who have been some time in America have greatly excited the ideas of the refugees at the prospects of getting rich there, writes a Hamburg correspondent, and they all want to go, and especially since the British Consul at Hamburg has given them notice that they are not wanted in England. A former Russian Jew who arrived in Hamburg recently on a pleasure trip from America, where he has grown rich, said openly that in America the Christians were servants of the Jews and the Jews were on top. His extravagant remarks were circulated from Hamburg to the Russian frontier, and served to intensify the Jewish thirst for this promised land.

FRANCE AND RUSSIA.

A Berlin dispatch says the enthusiastic reception of the French fleet at Cronstadt is almost the sole topic of discussion in that city, and the occasion is viewed with seriousness very different from the ridicule which used to be heaped on the efforts of France to win the goodwill of Russia. The decidedly warlike aspect of everything connected with the affair has aroused no little anxiety, it is stated, in the highest quarters. Coupled with the Cronstadt fraternizing is the news of Russia's remarkable preparations for the strengthening of her army and fleet, while new lines of railway are being rapidly constructed that when completed will enable Russia to mobilize within a few nights half a million of men on the Austrian and German frontiers. The general opinion, however, is that Russia would not attack either Germany or Austria, but will when ready march directly on Constantinople.

SOCIALISTS IN DETMOLD.

Disorders are reported at Detmold, in the principality of Lippe, owing to the distrust of the prince, who is virtually a despot. The Social Democracy has of late been making many converts in Lippe, right under the nose of the prince, and this has excited his Highness to severe measures of repression. The police of the principality have been instructed to permit no meetings of Socialists, and the law is severely enforced. An attempt to hold a meeting of Social Democrats on Sunday evening was a failure, owing to the hostility of the police, who had come to the scene with the intention of preventing a gathering. At first it appeared that there might be a collision between the Socialists and the police, but the leaders of the former prevented any serious demonstration. Lippe Detmold is only one of several German states that are far behind the others in the amount of free lom granted to the subjects of the petty sovereigns who rule over them.

BURGLARS CAPTURED.

The Berlin police have done handsome detective work in the arrest of a gang of 12 burglars who have for some time been infesting that city. Stolen property to the amount of 20,000 marks was recovered at the same time.

RELIGIOUS FRAUDS.

Two men and a monk have been arrested at Casale, in the province of Caserta, Italy, for pretending to work miracles. They caused tremendous excitement by their supernatural claims, and drew people from all parts of Italy, the village being full of pilgrims who wanted to witness the miraculous occurrences or themselves be treated for diseases by the alleged miracle-workers. The authorities concluded to stop the exhibitions.

SUPPRESSING ANARCHISM.

The Italian Government is also taking harsh measures for the suppression of anarchism wherever found. Fifteen Anarchists have been arrested at Faenza and a wholesale raid on all haunts of Anarchists in Rome is said to be in preparation.

THE SOCIALISTS PLEASED.

The Socialist organizations express themselves as well satisfied with the evidence given by the Cassel election of the growing strength of the party, and with the fact that all other issues have had to be discarded for the issue between Social Democracy and the people who claim that they are born to rule.

COLONEL McCLURE.

The Celebrated Philadelphia Journalist and Politician.

Alexander H. McClure, the well-known Philadelphia journalist, whose controversy with Col. John G. Nicolay regarding the late Hannibal Hamblin has attracted attention, was born 61 years ago in Franklin county, Pa. He first worked in a tannery, but abandoned this for journalism and during the war became the editor of the Chambersburg Repository, a weekly paper. He took great interest in politics and was a delegate to the Lincoln convention in 1860. He was a delegate at large in 1864. He joined the Democratic party in 1872 in the Greeley-Grant

campaign, and was a staunch supporter of Hancock in 1880 and of Cleveland in 1884. He was chairman of the state committee and has always exhibited great skill in managing politicians. He learned political methods from Simon Cameron, which he afterwards effectually used against him when in opposition. Colonel McClure established in connection with two Philadelphia printers, the McLaughlin Bros., the Philadelphia Times in 1877. He is its principal proprietor and its editor-in-chief. For some time he was an agent for the Pennsylvania railroad in Virginia. Colonel McClure wields a powerful pen and considers himself a better journalist than editor. He is a fine specimen of humanity, being six feet three in height, with a head and face suggesting Daniel Webster. He is much admired as a speaker and as a writer.

TROUBLE AHEAD.

The Chilian Insurgents Preparing for a Bold Stroke.

NEW YORK, July 29.—A cablegram from Valparaiso, Chili, to the Herald says: That trouble is looked for at Coquimbo within a short time is evidenced not only by the fact of the massing of 10,000 to 12,000 Government troops at that point and the sending of the Balmacedan north some days since, but also by the news that the American, English, German and French squadrons are now assembled in Coquimbo Bay to see that the rights of the citizens of their respective countries are not infringed upon. The Esmeralda and Aconcagua of the insurgent fleet are hovering off the port also, and it is said the Amazon and the Cochrane are not far away. That a decisive land action is pending near Coquimbo is confirmed from all sources of information at my command. The insurgents are most anxious to secure Coquimbo, as it has one of the finest harbors in all Chili. It is reported here that the insurgent army has recently been supplied with arms and ammunition, and it is believed that some of these have been smuggled out of the United States in the steamships plying between San Francisco and the Chilian insurgent ports, and that the rest have been brought into the insurgents' territory through Peru and Bolivia, which are very willing to add all in their power to their foe's discomfort. It is also thought that arms and ammunition have come across the ocean in British vessels. All those who are opposed to the Government and wish to leave Valparaiso or the other Government ports are permitted to do so. Congressional troops to the number of 5000 were landed at Caldera on July 20, and 4000 more at Huasco. They came from Iquique and are preparing for a descent upon Coquimbo and the southern province. I think the rebellion will be at an end before another month has passed.

Newfoundland's Case.

LONDON, July 28.—Sir William Whiteway, Premier of Newfoundland, who has been in London with the fisheries delegation, and on other public business, sails on the steamer Caspian, on August 4th. His departure is hastened on account of the urgency of business calling for his personal attention at home. Some of the questions growing out of his mission here, still remain unsettled. Sir William has written a long letter to the Daily News fully explaining the situation and giving his views as to the course necessary to be taken in the final adjustment of these matters.

Collector Erhardt Resigns.

NEW YORK, Suly 29.—It was reported among Republican politicians late last night that Collector Erhardt, of this port, had sent in his resignation to the President to take effect on August 1st. From all that could be learned the collector intends to enter into business enterprises which will require his undivided attention. Silas B. Dutcher is named as his successor.

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CHIN-HA-MOT IN COURT.

THE ALLEGED MURDERER HAS AN EXAMINATION.

The Indian Woman's Evidence—The Prisoner Had Some Clothes He Stole from Cloake—He Told His Woman That He Had Choked the Old Man.

There was very little interest displayed in the investigation at the Provincial police court this morning in the case of Chin-Ha-Mot (Seymour) charged with the murder of Isaac Cloake at North Saanich on the 19th of September, 1876. The only spectators were the court officials, lawyers and witnesses. Mr. E. Johnson, S. M., Q.C., was on the bench.

Fannie Battleman, an Indian woman deposed that she had known the prisoner for a long while and that she had three children when living with him. The eldest one was 16 years old. She knew Isaac Cloake, and remembered when he died. She and Chin-Ha-Mot were at a potlatch about 10 miles from Isaac Cloake's house. The prisoner left in the evening and returned in the morning before daylight. She knew something of the case as the prisoner had told her something.

Mr. F. E. Irving, who appeared for the defense, objected to the woman's evidence on the ground that she was living with the prisoner as his wife at the time stated in the information and, therefore, was not a competent witness, the rules of evidence making it illegal for a wife to give evidence against her husband.

Supt. Hussey contended that there had been no marriage tie.

His Honor said that in a case of civilized people a woman who had been living with a man as his mistress could give evidence against him. He knew of a case where a judge had said that if the man had done the woman justice by martying her he would have saved his neck. It seems that in the present case the woman was now living with another man having separated from the prisoner. He decided to go on with the evidence, noting Mr. Irving's objection.

The witness, continuing, said she did not have a child for eight month's after Cloake's death. She was never married to the prisoner. When Chin-Ha-Mot returned home the morning after the potlatch he gave her a lot of spool cotton and a handful of ten cent pieces. He was in a hurry to get away to the American side with his oil that year. On their way back they called at Harry Wain's Point. The prisoner went into the bush and brought out a pair of shirts, a tablecloth and a suit of clothes and when she asked him where he had got them he replied that he had choked a man and that when the man was dead he had burnt the house. He said Cloake was the man he had killed, and she wore the sheets out and gave the tablecloth to Mrs. Marcott. She did not know what the prisoner did with the clothes. The tablecloth produced was the one referred to. She gave the tablecloth to Mrs. Marcott for her (Fanny's) daughter.

To Supt. Hussey.—She did not ask him where he got the spools of thread and ten-cent pieces, and he did not say why he went to Cloake's house. The prisoner was not drunk when he left the potlach. An Indian named Sah Coom Nahmit. The prisoner said that Cloake was sitting in his chair when he entered the house, and he killed him while in that position. The other Indian said nothing about the fire. The prisoner had two wives at the time. He may have told the other woman. He has another wife now.

The case was then remanded until the day to be decided upon.

NEW WESTMINSTER NEWS.

Canneries Closing Down—Hanlan and O'Connor to Row on the Fraser.

Special to the Times.]

NEW WESTMINSTER, July 29.—Fraser River canneries are closing; the hands are being paid off; the season is a failure and the Indians are returning to the north already.

The big bush fire in Surry, opposite Westminster, has burned itself out. The air is very thick with smoke.

A desperate fight took place on Lytton Square last night, between three drunken printers. One man had his scalp fearfully cut by a bottle being smashed over his head. All were heavily fined.

Oarsman MacLean, who rows Peterson on August 8th, here, for stakes of $1500, had a kind of relapse a few days ago and lost weight badly and ran down to 140 pounds. He is now recovering and will row at about 160 pounds.

Hanlan and O'Conner are coming to New Westminster to row for the purse of $2,000 at the fall celebration.

Unexpected Failure.

DENVER, Col., July 29.—The Berkely land syndicate have made an assignment. The syndicate owned 1300 acres of land purchased from J. Brisbane Walker, of New York. The inability to collect on sales and light business caused the failure, which was totally unexpected, as it was thought to be very strong financially. The liabilities are $400,000, and the assets $600,000. The company had a capital stock of one million, and during the past year the company built scores of houses. Walker has a claim on the land for $200,000. The business will be continued by Assignee Valentine, who is president of the company. It is expected the company will be put on its feet again.

Arrested at Seattle.

SEATTLE, July 28.—Inspector Bradford last night arrested Anthony McDaid, fireman on the Umatilla, which arrived from San Francisco via Victoria at 11 o'clock last night. McDaid had 20 5-tael cans of opium, valued at about $180, concealed under his clothes.

Judge Emory last night fixed his bond at $1000, but in default of that amount McDaid was committed to Mc Neil's island to await the December term of the United States court.

NANAIMO NEWS.

Reception to a Clergyman—Sewerage Wanted—Business Changes.

NANAIMO, July 29.—Rev. Dr. Good, Baptist minster, was tendered a reception at the Baptist Church last evening by the members of the congregation. A pleasant repast of tea, cake, etc., was furnished by the ladies and partaken of freely by a large number of visitors. Then followed a lengthy and interesting programme, consisting of vocal and instrumental music, recitations and speeches. The latter were principally addressed to the new minister and conveyed to him the tender feelings of his flock towards him. The reverend gentleman replied in a few pleasant words, which found their way to the hearts of his hearers. The Diamond City orchestra was in attendance and enlivened things generally. A collection was taken up and liberally responded to.

WILL ANSWER TO THE CHARGE.

A great deal has been said in the Post-Intelligencer in reference to the man McQuade, who, it is claimed, put an infernal machine in his house previous to his departure from Newcastle, and which some hours afterwards was blown up. McQuade knew nothing about the matter until he arrived in this city, and then it was first brought to his notice by a friend who read the account in the Post-Intelligencer. He intends to leave the city to-morrow for Newcastle for the purpose of answering any charge that may be preferred against him.

CLEVER YOUNG LADIES.

The friends and school companions of the four young ladies of this city who successfully passed the recent teachers' examination at Victoria, were showered with congratulations yesterday over their success. Miss C. Duncan, in obtaining a 2nd A, did remarkably well, while the same may be said of the Misses Hilbert, Thomas and Poole in obtaining a 3rd B. It is to be hoped the young ladies will have their success crowned by receiving an appointment for the position of teacher, especially as three more are now required for Nanaimo city.

THE SEWERAGE QUESTION.

It is the general belief of most of the citizens of Nanaimo that the time has now arrived when a system of sewerage should be introduced in this city. Many of the principal portions of the city are sadly in need of such a requirement, and it would be as well if the Council would look into the matter. Several of the streets have been laid with six inch pipes for taking the water off the streets, but the dwellings require a means of disposing of all their sluice. The question of laying a sewer in this city should be an easy one as the gradual elevation from the water front would give an engineer a great advantage in laying out the plan. It is generally expressed that the City Council should attend to the health of the city before undertaking to buy an electric light plant. Very few would oppose the granting of a loan for sewerage purposes; it cannot be far distant before the corporation will be compelled to do something in the matter.

AMONG THE BUSINESS MEN.

The firm of Field and Dempster has dissolved partnership, and the business will in future be carried on by Mr. W. H. Field.

Mr. C. Dempster has opened an office in the triangular building, and it is called "The Nanaimo Realty and Investment Agency." Mr. Dempster is well known in Nanaimo for the gentlemanly manner in which he has always conducted his business, so that it may be safely presumed he will be successful in his new undertaking.

Messrs. E. W. Whiffen & Co. have been doing a few successful days of business in auctioneering, and as it is their first attempt, they did remarkably well.

Alex. McCutcheon has opened a new grocery store on Comox road. He does an advertising in outside newspapers, which is quite a departure from the usual routine.

Messrs. Spencer & Perkins intend putting up a large brick building, which, when completed, will rank among the largest in the city.

NANAIMO EXHIBITS FOR TORONTO.

A public meeting was held in the council chambers last evening for the purpose of deciding what steps should be taken to send exhibits to the Toronto exhibition. Mayor Hilbert occupied the chair, and in a few words alluded to the advantage gained by exhibiting different articles. Mr. Gosnell also explained the matter minutely, and trusted Nanaimo would be largely represented there. A committee consisting of Mayor Hilbert, C. C. Mackenzie, M.P.P., T. Keath, M.P.P., M. Wolfe, and W. H. S. Perkins were appointed to receive and collect exhibits. The meeting was largely attended, and a great deal of interest was manifested in the undertaking.

LITTLE EVENTS.

A petition has been circulated round the city for subscriptions to defray the expense of sending Mr. T. Patterson to Ottawa in the interests of the squatters.

A wrestling match between two young amateurs named Rickson and Pearson took place on the "green" last evening for $20 a side. The match was won by the latter in two straight falls.

The school trustees have rented a building at $40 per month, which is to be used as a school for the present. The corporation will have to foot the bill.

The infant child of Mr. J. Black, of the Union Bakery, died early this morning from convulsions and was buried to-day.

Collapse of an Iron Building.

PITTSBURG, July 29.—At 9 21 this morning a new iron building 24 stories of erection on Second avenue, near the city limits, occupied by the Oil Wells Supply Company, fell to the ground. It is known that two men were killed. Twelve or 15 workmen were buried in the wreck, some of whom have not yet been rescued, and may be dead.

WITH SAN DOMINGO.

A New Treaty Concluded Under Secretary Blaine's Policy.

NEW YORK, July 29.—A special from Washington to the World says: The World is able to lay before its readers information as to the conclusion of an important treaty reciprocity between the United States and San Domingo. The treaty was negotiated by Manuel D. J. Galvas, minister plenipotentiary and envoy extraordinary, on the part of San Domingo, and John W. Foster, special commissioner on the part of the United States, and was signed in Washington on June 4. Under the terms of the McKinley Bill the treaty does not require ratification by the Senate. As Senor Galvan was specially authorized by his government to carry on the negotiations, and was granted full power to sign the convention, the treaty will go into force without delay. Sept. 1st is the date fixed upon. The full text will be officially published within a few days. Both Secretary Blaine and the President have approved the treaty. Secretary Suarez, of the Dominician legation, has just returned to this city from a flying trip to San Domingo, where he laid the text of the convention before the President, and received his endorsement on July 18th. The treaty follows closely the lines laid down in the convention with Brazil.

RIFLES IN THE HAY.

San Francisco Vessels Smuggling Ammunition for the Insurgents.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 28.—The Chronicle states that, notwithstanding the misadventure which overtook the cargo of the Robert and Minnie, which transferred arms and ammunition to the Chilian vessel Itata, large quantities of munitions of war are being shipped to the insurgents from this port. These shipments, it is claimed, are being made in bales of hay, which staple has form d a large proportion of cargoes of vessels leaving here for the western coast of South America.

The Montserrat, Pemus, Hounslow, Williamette and the West Indian are some of the vessels which have loaded hay in addition to other commodities, and the cargoes of the last three vessels which cleared from here on July 8, aggregated over 7000 bales.

Local agents of manufacturers of arms and ammunition acknowledge that large sales of rifles and cartridges have been made during the past few months, but decline to name the purchasers. Parties engaged in the business of baling hay have stated that the bales contained articles of more value to the insurgents than mere hay. The Chronicle adds that grain sacks are reported to have been shipped filled with small arms, white cases of supposed canned goods contained powder and shot.

THE INQUEST.

Testimony Showing That Poor Was Shot Without Warning.

SEATTLE, July 28.—An inquest on the body of Poor was held early yesterday morning and a jury of five, comprising Messrs. Evelen, Ross, Reed, Bateman and Grygan, was impanelled. The testimony adduced was very brief, but all is corroborative of the general statement that Poor was the victim of an unprovoked murder. The story in detail, as told, was that Terry discovered some Chinese in the woods about a mile from Woolley, and was under the impression that the pagans were contraband and were being smuggled in. He then wired to Holden to instantly repair to the spot, and Holden left Seattle on Saturday last, being accompanied by Deputy Sheriff Poor.

Terry's story was that Poor and himself located the Chinese shortly after 10 o'clock at night. They were with Baird and Buchanan. "As we approached," said Terry, "we were greeted with a volley of bullets, but none of them took effect." As the shots rattled past them Poor cried out in a loud voice to stop the shooting and at the same time announced his position as deputy sheriff. No reply was made but another volley of bullets was fired and one struck Poor and he fell to the ground, dying almost instantly, while Terry escaped with a slight wound. It was not drawn out whether Terry and Poor returned the fire, but Baird exhibited a scalp wound.

An examination of Poor's body showed that the bullet had entered the body about an inch and a half below the left nipple and passed entirely through. Both Baird and Buchanan declined to make any statement, while Holden, it appears, was not at the scene at the shooting, but was subsequently arrested by Baird in the town of Woolley.

The verdict of the jury was that Poor came to his death from the effect of a gunshot would at the hands of Deputy United States Marshal Baird, but no charge was made.

FIFTY KILLED.

Terrible Slaughter, Caused by a Railway Collision in France.

PARIS, July 28.—The terrible excursion train collision at St. Maude, near this city, is the feature of popular interest here. The newspapers of this city and the provinces are filled with harrowing details of the disaster, such ghastly railroad accidents not being of every day occurrence here, it being popularly supposed that they are confined to the United States. The funeral will be in the cemetery of St. Maude, and will be conducted at the expense of the commune.

The assistant station master at Vincennes and the driver of the second engine have been arrested, charged with the carelessness which brought about the collision. The lady announced as being among the victims of the disaster is not the Marquise de Monteferata, but Madame Blancey, or Blanchet, of New York City.

Up to the present official enquiry has failed to establish clearly the real cause of the collision which is attributed in turn to revenge, malice, carelessness, and incompetency, according to the revelations of the hour. The action of the firemen in drowning the roasting and wounded people, imprisoned beneath the wreck, is most severely condemned.

Seven additional people, victims of the collision, died last night, making a total of 50 dead accounted for, but the terribly consumed state of some of the remains found makes it probable that in many cases the heap cinders collected may be those of two people which have been counted as one. The municipal authorities of St. Maude have decided that the funeral of the victims shall take place at 3 o'clock to morrow afternoon.

IS AN ENGLISH SUBJECT.

President Van Horne Said to be Catering for a Baronetcy.

CHICAGO, July 28.—President W. C. Van Horne, of the Canadian Pacific Railroad, has renounced his allegiance to the United States of America and has promised to become a loyal subject of Victoria the Queen of Great Britain and the Empress of India.

Mr. Van Horne was moved to do this, it is stated, because an alien cannot hold the position of president of the Canadian Pacific road and steamship lines, which by special proclamation were some time ago declared to be imperial highways. This entitles the company to a small subsidy annually from the English government, in return for which, in case of war, the government may seize the railway without notice for transportation of troops and stores, or its needs in any particular, of course paying for this use.

It is whispered among knowing ones that Mr. Van Horne will at an early date be elevated to the baronetcy. Mr. Van Horne has won his way into his present strong position in spite of combination. It is less than 10 years since he resigned the position of general superintendent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul to accept the general management of the Canadian Pacific, which was principally described by the expression "under construction."

Finance and Speculation.

NEW YORK, July 27.—Many financiers are wondering whether the unusually short crops abroad and the necessity of buying extraordinary quantities of breadstuffs from this country will have the effect of bringing back a greater part of the gold sent abroad. President Simmons of the Fourth National Bank says: "I think the cause of the present financial depression may be attributed to over speculation in Europe which culminated in the financial embarrassment of the Barings. With a large crop and a foreign demand I see no reason why we should not expect a general improvement in our financial and commercial condition. I look for a return of a very considerable part of the gold we have shipped." President Cannon of the Chase National Bank, says: "The condition of the money market and the business outlook in the United States at this time would undoubtedly be considered very satisfactory were it not for the continued liquidation and financial disturbance abroad. It is probable that in spite of the feeling on the part of many that the money market this autumn may be active, that the stringent conditions may change, and that the crop movement may be made with less difficulty than for several years. It appears that business and the financial outlook is favorable, rather than otherwise." Other banks and merchants express similar views.

Rioting in Toronto.

TORONTO, July 27.—Owing to the recent Sunday afternoon disturbance arising out of the free manner in which some park preachers spoke of Catholics and Catholic churches, the City Council last week passed a by-law imposing a penalty on any person who should in any public park, garden or place of exhibition in the city, publicly preach, lecture or declaim. Yesterday was the first Sunday since the passage of the by-law, and 25,000 citizens assembled to see how it would be observed. Considerable rioting took place, but a strong force of police was on hand and nothing serious occured. Three men were arrested for throwing stones and one for malicious injury to property.

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The objects for which the Company is established are:—

1. To invest and lend money at interest on the security of real estate or other property in British Columbia and elsewhere or any interest therein, including existing mortgages or other securities, also to purchase the bonds or debentures of any Government or Municipal body, or of any incorporated railway company, or other incorporated body.

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4. To undertake agencies and conduct financial business of any kind in British Columbia or elsewhere.

5. To receive and take money on deposit, or for investment on the guarantee of the Company or otherwise, or to guarantee payment of any money expressed to be secured by any mortgage.

6. To borrow money at interest, and to issue bonds or debentures as security therefor; and

7. To perform all such acts, matters and things as the Company may deem incidental or otherwise conducive to the attainment of any of the above objects, or to the conversion or disposition of any security or property held by the Company.

The organization of the Company is the result of the consideration by its promoters of the subject of Insurance, which now permeates nearly every class of mercantile business. When considering the subject it occurred to them that if the principle of Insurance in the form of a satisfactory guarantee for the due payment of interest at a rate to be agreed upon and against loss of principal were to be applied to the ordinary investment of money on securities, a large percentage of capital now on deposit at low rates of interest in the savings banks and other depositories, and which is locked up, would be withdrawn and become available for loans on securities, and thus be put in circulation.

With a view of offering such guarantee this Company has been incorporated with a capital of $500,000 (with power to increase), a small instalment only, viz., $10,000, of which has been called up to meet initiatory expenses. The remaining unpaid portion of this capital sum, viz., $490,000, shall form such guarantee to investors with the Company, which it is intended to supplement by the creation of a Reserve Fund, of which the unexpended balance of the capital called up shall form the nucleus.

It is further intended that no calls shall be made in respect to the unpaid capital except to meet liabilities.

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Deposits may be secured by debentures to be issued by the Company or by similar debentures secured by the hypothecation of securities taken by the Company.

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Going South. Read up. No. 1 Passenger Daily.	Stations.	Going North. Read down. No. 3 Passenger Daily.	Miles from Victoria.	No. 4 Passenger Sat. and Sun.	Miles from Wellington.
Ar. 12.05 p.m.	VICTORIA	Dp. 8.00 a.m.		Dp. 3.30 p.m.	
12.10	SUMMIT	8.04	4	3.34	4
12.13	MT. TOLMIE	8.07	7	3.37	7
12.19	GOLDSTREAM	8.13	13	3.43	13
12.24	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	8.18	18	3.48	18
12.30	COBBLE HILL	8.24	24	3.54	24
12.34	McPHERSON'S	8.28	28	3.58	28
12.37	KOKSILAH	8.31	31	4.01	31
12.41	DUNCANS	8.35	35	4.05	35
12.52	CHEMAINUS	8.46	46	4.16	46
1.17	NANAIMO	9.11	71	4.41	71
Ar. 2.30 p.m.	WELLINGTON	Lv. 7.00 a.m.	78½	Lv. 2.00 p.m.	78½

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EMPRESS OF INDIA	Sept. 22	Sept. 30
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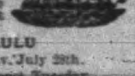

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Vancouver to Victoria daily, except Monday, at 12 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route.

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island, Sunday at 10 o'clock; Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P.R. train No. 1 going East Monday.)
For Pioneer Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.
For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.
LEAVE New Westminster for Victoria, Monday at 12 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Pioneer Pass Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Fraser River Route.

Steamers leave New Westminster for Chilliwhack and Way Landings every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock

Northern Route.

Steamers of this Co. will leave for Pt. Simpson and intermediate ports on the 1st and 15th of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route.

Steamer Maple leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound ports on the 25th of each month.

Bute Inlet Route.

Steamer Mayflower leaves alternate Fridays for Comox, Toba Inlet, Bute Inlet and ways.

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PART II.

During an eventful life, I have read of many Latter-Day Prophets, and have met not a few; but mindful of the words of one greater than they, that "prophesyings shall cease," and rating their vaticinations at a low value, I am often bound to class their names among the volunteers in the great army of religious speculators. The prophecy is forgotten when the human actors fail to realize its fulfilment; but when the results and the predictions agree, there are not a few loving hearts that regard the circumstance with such awe and veneration as they would show to a divine inspiration. It is in some such way as this that the story has many times been told of how Mr. Knill, a Baptist minister of some repute, had visited the home of the Spurgeons at Kelvedon, in the days when the youthful Charles had scarcely outlived the use of petticoats, and had patted his head, declaring, "This lad will become eminent in the service of the Lord." One would judge from his earlier portraits, which have become so familiar, that the physiognomist and the phrenologist would have found little to sustain such a conclusion. There is much stronger reason for one who marks the form and fashion of "the countenance divine," to remember the often-quoted saying of one among his many Scotch admirers: "If it hadna' been for the grace o' God in him, what a deal o' evil the mon wi' sic a head would ha' wrought." But all this has changed with the years. In most lives active evil, while it corrupts the soul, warps the features, and moulds them to the very shape and semblance of infamy. But thought, and honest labor, and much more, the grace of God, not only change the soul and the brain, but also effect an alteration in the brow, and perhaps in the gait of a man. Not Moses alone, but others who "talk with God," as they pass from the presence, have their faces made to shine. None can study the Spurgeon of to-day and not know they are contemplating a mental giant, a pattern of patience, and a man of God. That countenance has grown nobler as Christian services have multiplied.

I have often heard it said that, when very young, he taught at a school in Newmarket. That may be so. I know from the statement of his former employer, and his own admission, that he assisted in a school at Isleworth, a small village, which, like Newmarket, abuts upon the counties of Cambridge and Suffolk. A fellow student, Rev. W. McKinney, and I had somehow found out a Mr. Swindle, or Swindler, with whom we went in company to read up our French. In the course of conversation that gentleman informed us that Mr. Spurgeon had taught in his school. Not many weeks after Mr. Spurgeon said to me, "I understand, Mr. Pegg, you are reading French outside the college. Have you any particular aim in doing that?" I answered the question, and told him what Mr. Swindle, or Swindler, had said. "Yes," he replied, "I was there a short time; long enough to learn that I had no reason to quarrel with his name." I did not press the matter, but concluded that the recollection of his services there did not awaken any pleasant associations. And I assume the school was not prosperous; for the former owner told me that on the commencement of an eight years' residence in France he was often glad to make his dinner on a few cherries and a roll bought for a sou. It was probably at this time that Mr. Spurgeon commenced itinerating as a preacher, and he must have begun his stated labors at Waterbeach soon afterwards; for he continued to occupy the pulpit there long enough to crowd its small chapel with admiring hearers. "Why, sir," said one of the deacons to me, "before he left the place the village was entirely changed. The men about here would hang around the public houses all the Sunday, and fight and swear in a dreadful way. But when he saw any of them he would go up to them, and say, 'What doest thou here, Elijah?' or something like that, and take hold of them, and march them right off to chapel. Nobody seemed able to answer him; and the biggest blackguards seemed afraid of him. Some of them, if they saw him coming, would slink away. Then his preaching seemed so personal. He would sometimes stop suddenly, and stretching out his hand would call out: 'I had better hopes of you John,' or Charles as the case might be, 'from what I saw of you and your seeming repentance; and now you are fallen back into your habits of drunkenness and swearing. Oh, Ephraim, how shall I give thee up?' Some of them would come round on the Monday and charge us with telling tales about them. There were a few of us who did not approve of everything he said, but our mouths were shut; there were so many of the worst characters converted, the Lord was working with him so mightily, and everybody knew it." It was a sad day for Waterbeach, when a deputation from London, after hearing him preach on several occasions, gave him an invitation to New Park street chapel, which could boast of having had among its ministers Dr. Gill, Dr. Rippon and Dr. B. Beach. This place of worship was capacious, seating over 800 persons. But, in a few weeks every seat was occupied, the standing room was crowded and the doors had to be closed in the face of thousands who were elbowing their way to the front. Exeter Hall was secured, but proved utterly incapable of accommodating the throngs which besieged its doors. The Surrey Gardens were then hired, and bodies of 10,000 or 12,000 were able to hear the voice of the young preacher in the open air. Last was well and pleasant in the summer evenings; but as the days grew shorter it was imperatively necessary to build some capacious edifice where multitudes might worship. Mr. Spurgeon's plan was to erect a building capable of seating 5000 on the ground floor, and with space below for a Sunday school or lecture rooms at a first cost of $175,000. In building schemes the original estimate always falls short of the outlay. Some of his leading men were aghast at the project; other men were saying: "The excitement would soon wear off, and leave those who had put their hand to the work in a state of insolvency; others commended the enterprise as a singular example of faith in God. They were all wrong. There was a secret which was well kept, and is probably, even now not widely known, but the facts of which cannot be disclosed witout reflecting honor upon all concerned. The matter was told to a number of students, with whom I was present, by Mr. Spurgeon: "It was observed that I always seemed confident of success; and some said I had strong faith. So I had. But I had security for my faith, worth £40,000, in my pocket. There was a certain gentleman living at Bristol, who was a horse dealer, in a large business. If you had seen him, you would not have thought him worth a shilling. He could frequently be met on the streets of Paris with a horse rug over his shoulders, and his head pushed through a hole in the middle. One day he waited upon me, and handed me his chèque book, telling me to draw upon him at any moment for any amount I might require, not exceeding £40,000, for the building of the tabernacle. I had that book by me all the time I was collecting the necessary money; but I was never once tempted to use it. But it was a great encouragement to my faith. I look upon many of the debts incurred in building places of worship as equally disgraceful with any other kind of debt. I am happy to say we opened free of debt; and I handed back that cheque book to its owner without having drawn one penny by its means." The building is fronted by Corinthian stone columns, approached by steps, is elliptical in shape, with the major axis much larger than the minor; contains two galleries running all round and a minister's platform, reared above one used for lectures and prayer meetings. The interior is light and pretty. At the rear are suites of rooms for ordinary or extraordinary uses. It actually seats 5000, but by raising wooden flaps attached to the ends of the benches in the aisles, a larger number finds accommodation. From the day it was opened to the present time, when Mr. Spurgeon preaches, there are from 2000 to 3000 turned away for want of room. I have spoken in it for 30 or 40 minutes, and was conscious of no unusual effort. But when the strain is continuous, it may be that there is a perceptibly exhaustive drain upon the nervous system. Marvellous confidence, a voice as clear as a bell, a very youthful appearance, and a perfect command of language and manner were attractions in Mr. Spurgeon's earlier days. Of these, youth alone is absent; but in the passing summers a ripened judgment and a mellower style have marked his discourses. These are often lengthy, and I have sat from 11 till past 1 listening to the morning's service. I have heard casual visitors complain, but the habitues of the tabernacle appear to be free from weariness. Choirs, chants, anthems and musical accompaniments in Christian worship are condemned by Mr. Spurgeon with as much vehemence and in as strong language as bazaars and concerts. His services are very simple. "The Gospel has sufficient attraction in itself; and that man is a poor servant of Christ who degrades a house of God into a theatre or music hall for a crust of bread." On the same platform with the preacher stands the leading singer, and he is assisted by the entire congregation with very gratifying results.

It has been commonly assumed that Mr. Spurgeon is not a scholar. His knowledge of Greek and Latin classical authors is comprehensive, and in quoting from them he never commits himself to a false quantity; and assuredly would not have blundered into the "*coram monumento*" of Mr. Gladstone, although honored with a double first from Oxford. John Ruskin, who was, perhaps, one of our highest authorities on the Saxon tongue, and a constant hearer at the Tabernacle when in London, declared its preacher to be "without question unrivalled in his use of undefiled English." And when Mr. Gladstone has mingled among the hearers, he has never failed to express his delight with the discourses.

Luther says that "the good man is made into a competent preacher by prayer, meditation and temptation." If affliction be added, Mr. Spurgeon can employ unhesitatingly the words put by Virgil in the mouth of Dido: *Non ignaro mali miseris succurrere disco.* For years he has been obliged, in the colder days, to leave his native shores for the south of France, through neuralgia and rheumatic gout. The latter is hereditary. He traces its entrance into the family to the time when the Church of England was persecuting Nonconformists by the enforcement of the Test and Uniformity Acts. Under these, one of his ancestors languished in prison for some years, was taken out enfeebled and crippled by pain, and left the curse of a gouty habit to his descendants. Of the remaining particulars more will be said in a later paper. I. BURNHAM PEGG,
102, Government street.

Mr. McLeod's Letter.

At the school board meeting on Monday evening the following letter from Mr. McLeod, principal of the High School was read:

VICTORIA, July 27, 1891.

"Sir,—The last examination for promotion in the High School was conducted by the Department of Education some three or four weeks before the end of the term. The papers were set by the Department, the returns of the examination were made out by the Department, and their correctness is certified to by the Superintendent of Education. The promotions were made by the Superintendent, and were based on the marks obtained by the pupils at this examination.

"In this the Superintendent violated two of his own rules, viz:—

"1. That a Principal of a school must prepare the questions for the promotion examinations.

"2. That promotions are made by the Principal, with the approval of the Superintendent of Education.

"The Superintendent has the right to hold any examination he may think proper to hold in any school in British Columbia, but I maintain that, if he sees fit to deprive me of the power of promoting, he has no authority to confer that power on other teachers in Victoria, be they in or out of the High School.

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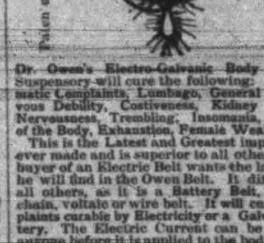

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R. G. JOHNSTON.
Victoria, June 12, 1891. je12-2m

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A. W. VOWELL.
Victoria, B.C., May 31st, 1891. je6-w-2

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Victoria B.C., March 31st, 1891. je6-w-2m

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Victoria, July 8th, 1891. jy10-2m

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Port Essington, 6th June, 1891. 2m

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DONALD MORRISON.
Port Essington, June 3 1891. je11

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Land Registry office, Registrar-General.
Victoria, 8 May, 1891. may9-7m

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EXTENSION OF TRADE.

To-day's dispatches indicate that Mr. BLAINE's reciprocity scheme has been extended to San Domingo, the sister republic of Hayti; and it is evident that even if his gout does trouble him a little, the energetic Secretary will do his best to gather all Latin America, as he calls it, into the trade fold. The success of his plans presents a curious contrast to the abortive efforts of the Canadian Government in the same direction. Minister FOSTER went on his famous starring tour to the West Indies and Guiana, but the preliminary flourish of trumpets is all the satisfaction that has been derived from it so far. Although received cordially enough, and with many expressions of good will, the minister was told plainly that the British West India colonies could not afford to hamper their own trade with the United States for the sake of any such advantages as Canada had to offer. In other words, while the West Indians believed in the "old flag," they are not willing to let any false idea regarding loyalty interfere with their material interests. To conclude such a treaty with this country as the Ottawa Government proposed would mean discrimination against the States, their chief customer, and our West Indian friends would not entertain the idea for a moment.

The mission of Adam Brown to Jamaica appears to have been even more futile than that of the Minister. Much has been said about the fine impression made by Canada's display at the exhibition, and the Commissioner has described the triumphs achieved in such glowing terms as only he can use. His report sets forth with much circumstance the many ways in which Canada's trade with Jamaica might be increased. He says at one place: "There is a strong desire on the part of the people of Jamaica to deal with Canada in every article that we can furnish and they can use. Assurances have been given me on all hands that where Canadian products and manufactures can be laid down as cheaply as they can from the United States, the trade will come this way." Instead of encouraging trade with the island, however, it appears that the Canadian Government has given it "one on the nose." It was clearly shown in the course of the debate on the budget that the new sugar tariff directly discriminates against the kind of sugar that Jamaica chiefly exports. The duties are levied, as every person knows, in such a way as to protect the Canadian refiners from outside competition, and it so happens that Jamaica sugar is most directly affected. But who would expect the Ottawa Government to consider for a moment the interests of Jamaica trade when weighed against those of its pet manufacturers at home? And in this lies the cause of failure of the Ottawa ministers' foreign trade policy; in whatever direction they move they are hedged around by the interests of the "red parlor." We cannot expect to extend our trade with sister colonies or foreign countries on a one-sided plan. There must be "give and take" in the the matter, but the give-and-take principle does not suit the Government's manufacturer friends. Thus it is that the Government's trade missions have so far been futile, and thus it will come that their mission to Washington will result in failure.

BRITISH EXPORTS.

The London Statist has compiled a table showing the falling off of exports of British goods to the United States during the half year as compared with last year.

	1890.	1891.	Decrease.
Wool'n & worsted	£2,453,000	£1,[illegible]	£1,[illegible]
Linen goods	1,121,000	923,000	198,000
Iron and Steel	678,000	343,000	[illegible]
Silk goods	571,000	343,000	228,000
Miscellaneous	4,498,000	4,420,000	80,000

In these great lines of manufactures, observes the Empire, the McKinley tariff is doing its work without mercy, and it is interesting to cull from the detailed returns, as given in the regular Board of Trade statement, the particular kinds of goods that are being shut out of the United States market, and which, to a far greater degree under Unrestricted Reciprocity, would be shut out of ours. Take a few examples:

	1890.	1891.
Worsted tissues	£1,564,525	£927,185
Hardware and cutlery	211,920	113,512
Pig iron	221,914	95,091
Carpets	79,636	50,265
Wearing apparel	96,555	50,574
Haberdashery & millinery	124,325	62,073

Of many of these lines it is no more than reasonable to suppose that there would have been a falling off had the McKinley Bill never been dreamed of. The United States have been making constant progress in manufactures for years, and it is simply idle to assume that the point is not about reached when they can successfully compete in the home market with British products. There is a great demand in the States for the poorer qualities of woolen and worsted goods, and for iron and steel. In these lines American manufacturers, in their own market, do not require the aid of McKinleyism to compete with British products in kind. That therefore there should be a falling off of British exports is but natural. As to hardware and cutlery, pig iron, wearing apparel, haberdashery and millinery, the Americans are not in need of protection. It is true they have it, and unquestionably it has contributed to check importations, but as much was inevitable under any circumstances. The day is bound to come, and it is not far distant, when on this continent, except in the higher grades of manufactures, there will be no sale for British products. American manufacturers in certain lines do not deny that they can produce as cheaply as can be done in Great Britain. But they don't have to. They are in the position of the Canadian binding twine manufacturers. Then there is another cause for the falling off of the exportation of British goods to the States, and that is that when the McKinley bill became an assured fact, imports were nearly if not quite doubled. And especially was this the case with tin plates. But the Empire urges that this is a "lame offset." We do not think so. If importations were more than doubled last year owing to the McKinley bill, it is inevitable that there should be a falling off this year. But be that as it may, by what manner of means does the Empire make McKinleyism a plea for the abolition of Cobdenism? If McKinleyism means death to British industries, it should seem free trade is the doctrine the Empire ought to preach. When the next election comes on in the States and, as will be the case, McKinleyism is smashed, the Empire will find itself in an awkward position, and particularly if the effect should be to stimulate British exports. The Empire is deeply concerned for British exports into the States. Why does it not manifest the same solicitude with reference to British exports into Canada?

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The accountants have reported to the Privileges and Elections Committee that the contracts secured by LARKIN, CONNOLLY & Co., from 1878 to 1889 aggregated $8,138,000, and that their net profits from these contracts amounted to $954,000. That is, nearly a third of the country's expenditure on these public works went into the pockets of the firm. Happy firm! Innocent Sir HECTOR!

As to Sir CHARLES TUPPER's alleged egg deal, if not probable, it is not in the least improbable. The financial status of eggs in England was big with importance to Tory interests in Canada, and it is quite conceivable that Sir CHARLES should have taken steps to see that they sold at the top of the market. And as political tricks go, particularly as compared with bribing constituencies with their own money, a deal of this kind is not so very reprehensible. Nobody was bribed. We are not to suppose that Sir CHARLES purchased the eggs outright. He probably caused the British egg dealers to understand by some hocus pocus that he would recoup them for any loss they might sustain by purchasing the eggs at a good figure. If such a trick as this is dishonest, what name has the Colonist for the "reptile fund" so cheerfully subscribed to by LARKIN, CONNOLLY & Co.? Of course Sir CHARLES knew that he could not fool the "whole Canadian community" long as to the price of Canadian eggs in England, but he knew that he could fool them for the time being, which was enough for his purpose. Minutes count during certain political crises. Few will doubt that Sir CHARLES connived at the high prices brought by this first consignment of Canadian eggs to England. All is fair in love and war and in politics, as the saying goes. But it is not a little amusing that Sir CHARLES should have felt it his solemn duty to temporarily engage in the egg brokerage business in the interest of the "grand old party," and it is still more amusing to find the Colonist in a rage over a bit of Tory sharp practice while it has not a word to say against Sir CHARLES' attempt to bribe the Grand Trunk Railway.

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M. A. AND HIS CORRECTION.

TO THE EDITOR:—M. A. writes apparently to make a correction, but from his letter does he not clearly give himself away as a Government hack? Does he not know that to say he did not mean it is no excuse for a man who points a loaded gun at a person and fires it off. Any person, and especially an M. A., is responsible for what he must know will result from his own acts. M. A. says Dr. Pope's reputation is decidedly strong in this City and Province generally. Possibly M. A. knows that Dr. Pope produced a telegram in evidence which contained eleven words more than the original received by the Wellington school trustees. Possibly M. A. knows that the average in the Colwood school was below the standard, two months after the Lulu Island school had been summarily closed, yet Colwood school was not closed. Possibly M. A. knows that the school site at Agassiz was changed shortly before an election. Possibly M. A. knows that English school was closed when the average fell below the standard for half a month. Possibly M. A. knows that Miss Ramsay was induced by the Education Department to leave North Cedar contrary to the law, and was thus deprived of about a month's salary. Possibly M.A. knows that the children under seven years of age were ordered out of the Wellington school in 1889 and allowed to attend at the West Victoria graded school. Possibly M. A. knows that so soon as West Victoria had about 70 on the roll a monitor was granted although there was then no provision in the estimates for it, and a monitor was refused at Wellington to a teacher with nearly 200 on the roll. Possibly M.A. knows all about the promotions in the Vancouver schools. Possibly M.A. knows all about the application for and refusal of an assistant for the New Westminster school. Possibly M.A. knows that Dr. Pope for two years published false returns of Victoria schools, and corrected them in the School Report of 1888-1889. Possibly M.A. knows that Dr. Pope instructed the teachers to make out false reports. Possibly M.A. knows that a certificate was granted to a teacher in 1890 of a lower grade than he was entitled to on the showing of the board of examiners. I presume he knows all this, if not he can easily in his wanderings through the province discover the facts, and speak positively concerning the strength of Dr. Pope's reputation.

What does M.A. mean by advising Mr. McLeod to withdraw his charges before the department issues its ultimatum? Is it not patent that M.A. is a person without any backbone? If Mr. McLeod did not demand, certainly the trustees have demanded an explanation from Dr. Pope; but so far he manfully (?) refuses. When M. A. states that there is ample proof that Dr. Pope obeys the rules, he must surely have on a pair of Government spectacles, as Mr. McLeod shows clearly that Dr. Pope violated rules of his own making. If M.A.'s idea of dignity is to mark poor Latin high and to mark good Latin low, it is no wonder that he writes under the assumed name of M.A. B.A.

THE MYSTERY OF GROWTH.

An Invisible Process Which Moves All Creation.

Who has ever seen anything grow? It must be that one who could keep vigil long enough might do so; for last night, when I looked into this flower-pot, there was nothing there but earth, and to-night there is a slender stem or blade of something half an inch long. There must have been a moment when the green point protruded through the soil; or, perhaps, it was a white point; and it would have been very possible for me to have remained in a position to watch it steadily for twenty-four hours. People have done things requiring more patience than that. But though I have been near this flower-pot most of the time, I only know that one sunset went down upon the mold: the next upon a green thing growing.

Shortly I shall see a thicker stalk, a broader blade. If no accident happens, there will be a plant of some sort before me in a few weeks. But though I vow to watch it, I shall not see it grow. I shall say at intervals: "How it has grown!" but never know when it took this new start or unfolded that new leaf; at what instant the bud appeared or at what moment it opened.

Has anyone actually seen a rosebud open? There is no record that I know of of any such fact. The motion that is required is evident. We have seen flowers in every stage, and the process is brief. We almost fancy we have seen it performed, each one of us; but, as I think, I know I never have—have you?

I believe that no mortal ever watched a mushroom take its shape. The thing is usually done in darkness and secrecy, yet, with a lantern, it would be possible to see what could be seen. And yet I am sure that, if we should try the experiment, all that would happen would be that we should be aware at some moment that a mushroom had sprouted up—no more.

As to the larger plants—the shrubs, the trees, the vines—botanists can tell you how every stage of growth is arrived at; but no one ever saw nature at work.

At what hour does the baby begin to grow? The mother who holds it in her arms for weeks is only conscious that it has changed. The wrinkles vanish, the red turns to pink and white, its eyes become intelligent, its ears curl up, its lips grow plump, its nose acquires a shape. With her arms about it, her eyes upon it, she would say every half hour:

"Why, of course, the baby looks exactly as it did when I began to put it to sleep."

But in eight weeks there is a smiling little creature in the cradle that could not be recognized as the hour-old child—pronounced a very fine boy by the nurse and the doctor, but, to unaccustomed eyes, hideous enough to be horrifying.

That fair baby, too, how does it change to the boy, to the strong man. The baby never knows himself.

To almost every one it has occurred to come suddenly to a realizing sense that he is grown up—without having the slightest idea how it has happened.—N. Y. Ledger.

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Road Improvements.

The Government has seen fit to put a new structure in the place once occupied by Parson's bridge. It is a decided improvement, but the loose gravel along the Goldstream road is not comfortable for either walking, driving or cycling.

Married Last Evening.

Mr. Geo. Munkhouse Fort, of the Provincial Land Registry Office, and Miss S. Jesse, daughter of the late R. Jesse, of this city, were married last evening. Right Rev. Bishop Cridge celebrated the nuptials in the presence of several friends.

Requested to Attend.

The ladies of the Altar Society of the R. C. pro-Cathedral are requested to meet at the church at 9:30 to-morrow morning to attend Requiem Mass to be celebrated at the funeral of the late Mrs. W. H. Redmond, who was a member of the society.

To-Day's Anniversaries.

Born: Tom Corwin, 1794.
Albert I, Emperor of Germany, 1248.
Died: Pope Urban VIII, 1644.
William Wilberforce, 1833.
Dr. Thomas Dick, 1857.
Poland dissolved, 1794.
Mary Queen of Scots marries Darnley, 1565.

Annual Exhibition

The annual exhibition of the British Columbia Horticultural Society and Fruit Growers' Association is to be held in Victoria this year. It will open in Philharmonic Hall on Tuesday, Aug. 11, and remain open until Wednesday night. The association being a provincial one, a large numer of exhibits will come from all parts of the province.

Mrs. Roper's Death.

Mrs. H. D. Roper, who for two years has been a constant sufferer, died this morning at her husband's residence, James street. She was taken sick shortly before she was married, two years ago, and has been ailing ever since. She was a native of Nova Scotia, and has two sisters, the Misses Brown, living here. The funeral will take place on Friday.

Victorian Excursions.

The new steamer Victorian, with over 750 passengers aboard, left her dock at 7 o'clock this morning for Vancouver via Roche harbor. To-morrow she will go to Seattle to bring a party of excursionists from that port to Victoria, and before running regularly she will make a run between Seattle and Tacoma. She goes on her regular run between here and Tacoma on Sunday night, running in the same time that the Kingston does. Somes lively races across the Straits may be looked for.

Figures Wont Lie.

And this is the way it figures, paying for a home without money, providing you are paying $25 a month rent. In five years you would pay $1500 that you would never get back, not even interest. And the natural advance in five years on your property ought to be about $500, total $2000. So if you should purchase one of those beautiful $2000 cottages of YOUNG & BARTLETT, No. 9 Trounce Avenue, on the installment plan, in five years you will virtually have paid for your home without money.

Cadboro Bay Concert.

The Cadboro Bay concert was largely attended last evening. Mr. and Mrs. and the Misses Pauline, with Mr. Geo. Pauline, Mrs. Branch and other ladies and gentlemen, are to be congratulated on the arrangements. The room was beautifully decorated with flags, masses of flowers and Chinese lanterns, and a table loaded with delicacies was laid out in a shed outside the school room. Messrs. Haines and Goodwin, the Rev. A. Beanlands, and the Misses Pauline and Goodwin were among the performers. A dance closed this most enjoyable entertainment.

Oak Bay Hotel.

At a meeting of the Oak Bay Improvement Company yesterday afternoon, the plans for a summer hotel at this favorite resort were adopted. They were drawn by Mr. A. M. Muir, who will also superintend the erection of the building. They provide for a handsome four storey building with a tower. Spacious steps lead from a veranda to the water side promenade, from the handsome dining and drawing rooms is given a glorious prospect of the straits and Olympic mountains. The cost of building is estimated at $35,000, and it is calculated that it will take an additional $25,000 for furnishings.

Will be a Grand Affair.

The Albion Iron Works picnic, which takes place on Saturday, August 1st, will be one of the greatest events of the kind ever held in the province, and special trains have been engaged to carry the two hundred employees of the works, with their families, friends and the general public to and from the Chemainus River, where the picnic will be held. The Chemainus sawmill will be closed down for the occasion, and besides hundreds of Victorians, people from all along the line will be present. Sports of all kinds will be indulged in, and a spacious platform is being built under two large trees for dancing. The Warspite brass and string bands have been engaged for the occasion; consequently there will be plenty of music. The time table for the special trains will be published shortly.

Police Court Notes.

Mr. A. L. Belyea was the dispenser of justice at the police court this morning, and Mr. Dowler was again in his seat as clerk. Although every arrangement had been made to dispense justice on a large scale, there were very few applicants, only one drunk. An Indian who raffled a bottle, and a young gentleman whose pet dog had made too free with the sparkling waters of Goodacre Lake. Thos. Royal had been found on Johnson street sadly the worse for liquor. He pleaded guilty to the charge and paid the usual $5 fine. John, a Fort Rupert Indian, acknowledged having been drunk and having whiskey in his possession, and for that serious breach of the law was fined $25 or in default two months' imprisonment. A young man named McGinnis paid a fine of $1 for permitting his dog to swim in Goodacre Lake.

Go to Tom Graham's

For bargains in Clothing and Gent's Furnishings, next to Cheapside Government street. *

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Arrived O. K.

A fine stock of Razor Strops; a complete line of shaving materials, e c. Pocket Cutlery, Scissors, Table Cutlery direct from Sheffield, at Fox's, 78 Government street. Call and examine. *

Left San Francisco To-Day.

The following passengers left San Francisco to-day by the steamer City of Puebla for Victoria: Capt. G. M. Hunt, Mrs. Nicholson, F. Renshaw, Mrs. Minges and two children, H. Galsantly, A. Williams, Miss Patterson, Miss Fox.

Cricketers Meet.

Manager L. G. Weatherbsy and Capt. H. B. Blagrave, of the California Cricket Club were present at a meeting of the Victoria Cricket Club held last evening for discussing the proposed visit of the former team. It was decided to play here on the 6th and 7th of August. The Victoria club will meet next week to chose their team. The Californians went to Vancouver this morning to arrange the matches that are to take place in that city.

The Late Mrs. Redmond.

The late Mrs. W. H. Redmond, whose death was but briefly announced in last evening's TIMES on account of the late hour that the sad news was received, was a native of Montreal, aged 22 years. She leaves a little son two years old and an infant 12 days old. She took cold on Monday, and in spite of the best medical skill, died yesterday afternoon. She was a general favorite in Vancouver and Westminster as well as Victoria. The funeral will take place to-morrow morning from the late residence and the Roman Catholic Cathedral.

The Wolff Family Concert.

The Wolff family concert at the Victoria theatre last evening was one of the best musical entertainments that has been given in Victoria. Each member of the family is a thorough musician and each piece on the programme last evening was well rendered. Mr. Ernest Wolff's violin solos, three in number, were well appreciated by the audience, who recalled him after each one. Mr. Clement Rowlands has a splendid voice and he became a favorite before he had finished his first solo, C. A. White's Madeline. Mrs. Rowlands and her sister, Miss Minna Wolff, sang three very pretty duets. The ladies possess good voices, and their efforts to please the audience were thoroughly successful. They all sang a solo each. Miss Minna Wolff, like her sister, Mrs. W. W. Clarke, who is better known to Victorians, is a good elocutionist as well as a singer. Mrs. W. W. Clarke's recitation, "The Woman of Marble Head," was very well rendered. Miss Tilly Wolff sang a very pretty solo entitled "Good By." The concert closed by the family singing the "Carnavale." It is the intention of the family to visit the different cities of the province. They are sure to have good houses as soon as they have been once heard.

THE FRISCO SEALERS.

Reports From Behring Sea by Returning Adventurers.

From the Examiner.

The schooner Blakeley, now due here from Sand Point from Behring Sea, brings some further advices than appeared in the north coast dispatches of two or three days ago. Private advices to the outfitting firm of Ross & Hewlett state that she has on board 336 seal skins from the Mattie T. Dyer and 487 from the steamer Louis Olsen. Both vessels had a good deal of hard luck, according to "Long Charlie" Haritwen of the Olsen. The Dyer went ashore in Goss Sound and had most of her keel battered off before she floated again. She was making six inches of water an hour before a quiet spot could be found to beach her and make sufficient temporary repairs to start for home.

Long Charlie's report is to the effect that during the last two weeks of his run from Port Townsend and Vancouver Island to Sand Point the sea was constantly alive with seals all around the Olsen, but a steady southwester was so violent that not a boat could be lowered. During the storm a sailor on the Olsen died, and when a boat landed on one of the Middleton Islands the crew found a party from the sealer San Diego engaged in burying one of their hunters named Andrew Williams, who shipped at this port. When the Olsen had arrived at Sand Point the Thetis had departed, and all the sealers were preparing to accept their notice and return home without protest. The Olsen not having been served, Captain Haritwen at once shaped his course for the forbidden ground, in hopes of having a few days hunting before being overhauled and notified to get out.

The schooner Henry Dennis is credited with having taken the most skins since the clean-up by the Danube, her hold containing over 500 when last spoken. The whaling and sealing schooner La Niafa put into Sand Point with 250 skins, and the whaling bark Herriman joined her there, several of her barrels filled with oil. It was not expected that any of the vessels touching at Sand Point would contest the order or attempt to take skins in Russian waters.

After all, the best way to know the real merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla, is to try it yourself. Be sure to get Hood's.

Read Erskine's add on tine shoes. *

Christie Brown's Fruit, Pound and Sultana Cakes. Sizi H. Ross & Co.

THE VICTORIAN ARRIVES.

THE NEW U. P. R. STEAMER ARRIVES HERE LAST NIGHT.

A Merry Party go Over to Port Townsend to Meet Her—The Banquet on Board the New Steamer—Presentation of the Set of Colors—Appropriate Speeches.

Everybody knows the story of the "colors" for the Victorian; how so soon as it was discovered that the new U. P. steamer which was being built at Portland for passenger service between Sound points and Victoria was to be named the Victorian, Messrs. M. Young and H. E. Levy, canvassed the town for subscriptions for the aforesaid "colors," and how they were deluged with the same until they were compelled to cry out "hold, enough! Do you intend us to buy the steamer and set up in business on Victoria's account?" Well, as this is an old, old story let the newer one be told of how the colors were presented, and how the Victorian's people reciprocated. At the invitation of Mr. J. Bissell, the enterprising agent for the U.P. in this city, the parties who had contributed to the purchase of the colors were invited to Port Townsend, where the presentation was to be made. Among those who responded and others who were present were Mayor Grant, Ald. Smith, Ald. Munn, Ald. Richards, United States Consul Meyers, Messrs. D. R. Ker, J. S. Yates, G. Cooper and wife, W. H. Ellis, Richard Jones, E. J. Thain, Joseph Heywood, James Mitchell, M. Young, W. Jensen, Fred Pope, Capt. Cavin, Thomas Shaw, Arthur Turner, J. Loewen, M. E. Pierson, L. Goodacre, T. Norquay, H. Kessler, F. Campbell, jr., Capt. J. M. Cowper, B. Campbell, general freight agent, U. P.R.; W. H. Hurlbert, general passenger agent; Capt. Troupe, superintendent of water lines; Port Captain C. E. Clancy; J. Bissell, agent at Victoria; W. H. Bryant and G. W. Bullene, U.S. local inspectors, and J. E. Brown, port steward at Seattle.

Arrived at Port Townsend, the first hour was spent in inspecting the steamer, which everybody found very beautiful, to judge from the expressions which fell on all sides. To the casual observer there is little to distinguish the Victorian from the City of Seattle. She has finer lines, however, than the Seattle, it being the object of Captain Troupe, the designer, who has studied the needs of these waters for years, to produce a steamer of great speed combined with first class passenger accommodation and with fair freight carrying capacity. In these respects Captain Troupe seems to have succeeded admirably. The freight deck is roomy, while above, the passenger cabin, extending the entire length of the ship, comprising ladies' cabin aft, with smoking cabin forward, presents a marvel of artistic workmanship. The staterooms are all roomy and well lighted, and are provided with doors opening on deck, which will save the passenger the not infrequent annoyance of passing through the entire length of the cabin to reach his room. The washstands are of mahogany and the mirror frames are of the same material. For ornamental purposes mahogany is the only wood used throughout the steamer, while the upholstery is of red plush. The steamer also is well provided with electric lights. A magnificent chandelier overhangs the grand staircase leading to the dining room. The object of Capt. Troupe, apparently, is to secure for passengers light as well as speed. One can read in the cabins of the Victorian without straining his eyes. The dining room, which is below the ladies' cabin, is a marvel of elegance. Hand paintings of game and of mountain scenery adorn the walls, the curtains of the windows are blue, and altogether the contrasting of lights and shades with the polish of the wood work, and the sense of coziness prevailing is as appealing to the appetite as to the eyesight.

To come to the presentation of the colors. The Victorians assembled in the ladies' cabin, and among the others who had gathered there to witness the ceremony were: Mr. C. E. Mallette, of Port Angeles; Mayor Tibbals, Messrs. W. A. Sawtelle, F. A. Bartlett, President of the Chamber of Commerce; Dr. Glennan, Dr. Conover, Judge Swan, Colonel Lyons, State Senator F. W. Hastings, Representative A. A. Plummer, C. F. Seal, of the Merchants Bank; Col Green; of the Northwestern Fruit Co. of Seattle and others.

Mayor Grant said, in effect, that he had been requested by the citizens of Victoria to present on their behalf this set of colors, to the admirable steamer which had been named after their own city. He spoke befittingly of its design and its fittings, and he congratulated his hearers that the steamer was of home make. Nothing finer of the kind, he was sure, could be turned out anywhere. He spoke of the friendly relations existing between the two countries. He felt especially gratified to think that they were both of one family, and he trusted that the good feeling which existed would reach the point where the Stars and Stripes and the Union Jack would become, as it were, inseparable, for wherever these flags waved there was liberty.

Capt. Troupe responded to the effect, that speech making was not his forte, but he could reciprocate the remarks of the Mayor, and hoped that the Victorian would always do honor to the delightful city after which she had been named.

With Capt. Troupe's remarks terminated the presentation ceremony. In the afternoon lunch was served. The bill of fare was somewhat elaborate. Here it is:

BILL OF FARE.

Eastern Oysters.
Chicken a la Reine.
Sherry.
Boiled Salmon, Lobster Sauce.
Cucumbers. Potato Croquets.
Ponet Canet.
Tenderloin Steak, plain with Mushrooms.
Lamb Chops, breaded, with Tomato Sauce.
Parisian Potatoes. New Green Peas.
Pommery Sec.
Smoked Beef Tongue. Boiled Ham.
Roman Punch.
Chicken Salad. Crab Salad.
Green Apple Pie.
Steam Cherry Roll, Brandy Sauce.
Assorted Cake. Maccaroons. Edam Cheese.
Victorian Ice Cream.
Bent's Crackers.
Cigars. Cognac.

Speeches followed. Mayor Grant expressed his pleasure at being present and spoke at some length upon the enterprise of the Union Pacific in providing steamboat facilities for these waters. He had hoped that during the return trip home the opportunity would have been afforded to test the speed of the Victorian with the Kingston. However, guests might propose but chief engineers disposed. The machinery of the Victorian was still too *young* to be safely put in competition with the well tried motive power of the Kingston. But the Victorian was a beautiful boat, as beautiful as the city she was named after; he was proud of both, and he had every reason to believe that the steamer before many days would prove herself the fastest on the Sound. Capt. Troupe briefly but appropriately responded.

U.S. Consul Meyers said everything in the world was the result of evolution, and he expected that in the future the vessels on the Sound would not only be multiplied but beautified. The Victorian, from one end to the other, was the most beautiful ship he had ever seen. She was up to the highest art in shipbuilding. Another thing which had afforded him satisfaction was that this vessel was not the product of foreign skill but had been developed in this new Northwest. What had been done in the past could not fail to be reproduced and improved upon in the future.

Mr. Ker spoke on behalf of the Board of Trade.

Mr. Shaw, of the Albion Iron Works, said that the Victorian was a success in every detail, and a credit to the City of Portland.

Mr. Kessler stated that from a mechanical point of view the steamer was a perfect success, and no better constructed vessel could be found in any part of the world. She was the best vessel on the coast. He was also astonished at the taste displayed in her finish. The trade of this coast was increasing, and it was beyond question that as good vessels could be built here as anywhere in the world. Inside of fifteen years ships would be built locally fully equal to any that could be imported.

Further remarks were made by Mr. Whelan, after which the Ladies were responded to by Mr. Turner. Finally Mr. Elitte, port steward, was called upon and spoke briefly.

Mr. Ellis, of the Colonist, discussed the situation humorously, and his remarks were well received.

Mr. Bissell expressed his satisfaction at the improvements which had taken place in the steamboat accommodation on the waters of the Sound. It was especially satisfactory to him to know that his company was able to supply all the facilities in this respect. Mr. Bissell concluded his remarks by announcing his transfer to another position, a matter which Capt. Troupe subsequently explained was a promotion.

Aldermen Smith, Richards, Munn and ex-Alderman Goodacre were called upon for remarks, and all briefly and appreciatively responded. Messrs. H. E. Levy and M. Young told the story of how promptly Victorians had responded to the appeal for the colors of the beautiful steamer, which they had no doubt would be the favorite craft with Victorians for the future. Mr. Frank Campbell orated briefly. The press was responded to by the representatives of the Colonist and the TIMES, Messrs. Norris and Sears.

The homeward trip began shortly before seven o'clock. A stiff head wind was encountered, which raised a heavy sea—and more or less of Mr. Elitte's excellent lunch. The Victorian, however, did not mind it a bit. The vessel rose to the billows as gracefully as a duck. As a sea boat there can be no doubt as to her safety and comfort. Capt. Troupe, who is the originator of her model, is to be congratulated on the success he has achieved. A steadier sea boat in a sea way it would be difficult to imagine. Arrived at the wharf, the Victorian was greeted by a large and enthusiastic crowd, and for all that the hour was late was inspected by hundreds of people. The U. P. Company is to be congratulated on the addition of the Victorian to its fleet. Victoria, too, is to be congratulated in having so beautiful and so commodious a water craft named after her.

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Fresh eggs at R. H. Jamieson's. *

R. Jones, Inspector of Inland Revenue, leaves to-morrow morning for Nanaimo on a tour of inspection.

BRIEF LOCALS.

One Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

Council meets to-night.

The Fraser still continues unusually high for this period of the year.

Cheap farms at Lee & Fraser's, No. 11 Trounce avenue. *

Admiral Hotham entertained a party of friends at lunch to-day.

The street cars commenced 10 minute trips on the James Bay line to-day.

For good value in cook stoves call on McLennan & McFeeley.

Try Durkee's salad dressing, rich and delicious. R. H. Jamieson, grocer, 33 Fort street, Victoria. *

Received this day fine, new salted mackerel. R. H. Jamieson, grocer, 33 Fort street, Victoria. *

M. J. Davis has shipped another consignment of furs to Chicago via the N. P.R., valued at $3000.

For a fine Gasoline stove call at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates street.

If you want the finest dress suit, call on Simpkins & Simpson, 86 Government street. *

Messrs. R. P. Rithet & Company, limited, last evening shipped 60 barrels of seal skins for London via the C. P. R.

Lacrosse practice will take place on the Caledonian grounds this evening for the first time.

People say the Dominion Hotel is the place for a 25 cent meal. Twenty-one meal tickets for $4 50.

Vancouver boys want a swimming club, and like the Victoria boys, they make the cool demand on the "generous support" of the public.

Mason's reliable glass or porcelain lined top fruit jars, all sizes. Tin top jellies and agate preserving kettles, at Weiler Bros.

Do not fail to see some of those modern cottages that Young & Bartlett, the land and building brokers have just put on the market. *

Last evening Grand Master Phillips, of the I.O.O.F., installed the officers of Colax Lodge, No. 1, Rebecca degree, and afterwards the new noble grand initiated four members.

To exchange houses for vacant lots, at No 9, Trounce avenue, Young, Bartlett & Co. Will build houses after your own plans on the instalment plan.

Mr. J. M. McGregor, formerly of the Winnipeg Free Press, is in the city getting up a rather novel advertising card. It is composed of a number of cards advertising the different business houses, all the work being done with pen and ink. It looks very neat and catchy.

Another large consignment of those extra value men's $2.50 laced and Congress Shoes; also $2.00 Oxford, just received at the One Price Cash House of Carmichael & Paterson, 35 Johnson street.

The owner of the Pritchare house is repainting the verandah. It was thought that the days of the verandah were over, and that the few standing would be pulled down before long. They are unsightly and useless and the alderman who will get a by-law passed wiping them out of existence, will be a public benefactor.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

Bark Richard III is in the straits waiting a tow to sea.

The C.P.R. steamship Empress of India is due here this evening on her way to the Orient.

The ship Thermopylæ, Hall, Ross & Company, owners, will leave for Wellington this afternoon to load coal for Hongkong.

PROVINCIAL VOTERS.

Parties qualified to register as PROVINCIAL VOTERS can obain blanks for that purpose at the TIMES office. All persons qualified to vote should see to it that their names are entered *now*. Workingmen, who cannot spare the time to go to the court room during working hours, can come to the TIMES office between 6 and 7:30 p.m.

Qualifications for Provincial Voters: British subject by birth or naturalization, 21 years of age, one years residence in British Columbia, last two months being in the district where registration takes place.

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TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned, up to Saturday, August 1st, at noon, for the erection of a three-story and basement brick building on lot 149, corner of Pandora avenue and Blanchard street, for C. Bossi, Esq.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JNO. TEAGUE, Architect.

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TO MECHANICS AND OTHERS.

SEALED TENDERS ARE ASKED BY 12 noon of Tuesday, 21st inst., for the purchase and removal of two frame houses, opposite the "Clarence," on Douglas street. Particulars to be obtained from and tenders addressed to the undersigned. No tender necessarily accepted.

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The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Forms of tender can be obtained at this office.

JAMES H. INNES, Naval Storekeeper.

Royal Naval Yard, Esquimalt, 1st July, 1891. jy28

COLONEL OF THE FOURTH.

A STORY OF THE WAR OF THE REVOLUTION.

By Bernard Bigby, Author of "Loyal at Last," "My Lady Fantastic," "Ellen's Great Secret," "Fell Among Thieves," Etc., Etc.

"Keep cool, men, and don't waste your lead," the young Major cried. "Let every bullet have its billet."

"I can't make swell speeches like the Major can," shouted Charlie, "but I can tell you, boys, that if you don't kill them—why, darn it, they'll kill *you*!"

A gleam of fire from the narrow windows answered the appeal.

But the rear side of the building had no windows, and save the cracks the men had found in the boards, no loopholes through which a musket-barrel could be thrust. Here Frank anticipated his worst danger, nor was he deceived.

"Major, they are gathering brush at the back and firing the building!" a private cried.

Alas, it was too true. Even as the man spoke a stifling cloud of smoke filled the place, more dense, perhaps, because the wood was wet from the storm and refused to burn freely. As ill-luck would have it, too, the light night breeze came from this very quarter. It was a desperate strait. Without were raging those bloodthirsty fiends, who, unlike the chivalrous Southern soldiers, seldom gave an enemy quarter; within the air each instant became more and more unbreathable. A horse, too, maddened by the smell of fire, had broken loose, and they were obliged to shoot him to prevent his trampling on the wounded.

"Shall we make an assault, Major?" Charlie asked, as cool as though he was on parade.

"How can we?" Besant groaned, for the thought of his gallant men perishing like rats in a trap cut him to the quick. "That narrow door, the only egress, would only permit us to rush out in a line so thin that the boys would be slaughtered like sheep in a pen."

"But we should die fighting, and not be choked to death by this infernal atmosphere."

"A flag of truce and surrender is all I see for it, Charlie," was the doleful answer. "There is one chance in a thousand they might respect it."

"Then, let me bear it. Quick, or I shall stifle."

There was no alternative.

"You'll tell the old man I did my duty to the last," Fulton said, as he grasped Frank's hand.

"I am as little likely to see your father again as you are," was the sad reply.

Quick as a flash the door is opened and Fulton advances with a white handkerchief waving in the air.

Do those rough hordes stay their hands at the fluttering symbol of peace? Not so; with a yell of derision they

THE MAJOR HELD A CAN OF WATER TO HIS LIPS.

rush upon him, and even as Frank gazes in indignation, he sees a rope flung round the neck of his unhappy friend.

With a cry of rage he turns to his men: "Prepare to charge—Fix bayonets!" in tones of maddened fury.

But what is that?

The thundering beat of horses' hoofs upon the turf—nearer and nearer—and a squadron of Union cavalry dashes like a whirlwind on the astounded besiegers, riding them down and trampling them to death like dust beneath their feet. Not a dozen of the hapless wretches reached the woods to tell the tale of their misfortunes.

"Mark Henderson! By all that's glorious!" Frank cried, as he grasped the hand of that sturdy warrior when the rush of the charge was over.

"Frank Besant! Hurrah, I've paid you back the debt I owed at last."

"You have, indeed, with interest."

"I little thought when I met that fellow of yours pounding along the road, that it was for you he sought such urgent help from my gallant troopers."

"And, where on earth did you spring from?"

"Oh, we were on our way down South to join Sherman's force under Killpatrick. We've had a rambling time of it of late—but, we must not stand here talking. Let us first get your wounded out of this burning rattle-trap."

But they found that by tearing away the smoldering boards the building might yet be habitable, and it did not take them long to accomplish this little work, to the gratification of the poor fellows, who dreaded moving worse than any thing. Not only did they make their own helpless ones as comfortable as circumstances would permit, but they tenderly cared for all of the poor bleeding guerrillas, whose wounds were not fatal. As the men were moving one of these latter, his slouched hat fell back, and disclosed to the astounded Major the drawn features of James Lawson. None recognized him but Frank, whose compassion was stronger than his indignation, so when they had laid him on the floor and gone for another ghastly burden, he knelt down by the sufferer's side and whispered:

"Lawson, can I do any thing for you?"

"Who is it?" was the feeble question.

"Frank Besant—do you not know me?"

The prostrate figure shuddered.

"Yes, I know you now. You can give me a drop of water and—let—me—die."

The Major not only held a can of water to his lips, but bathed his face with the cooling liquid.

"Ah, that is good. Now Frank, before it is too late, let me tell you that I took no part in this dark work tonight. Those men made me come with them—I could not get away."

"I am glad to hear that."

"But, oh, I've been a bad man—bad to the minister, Miss Ruth, Grace, and all who ever showed me kindness."

"And your wife and child, Jim? Have you no thought of them? If you should die now—"

"I can not—dare not—will not die! Oh, Frank, for God's sake get me help," the poor wretch moaned. "I am not fit to meet my Maker yet! In pity, get me help."

"We have only one assistant surgeon with us, and you must take your turn with the others."

"But the others are not like I am with a hell of remorse raging in their breasts, with dark secrets on their souls, which—"

But the blood choked him and the sentence was never finished. Presently he revived a little.

"Are you there, Frank?" he asked in such weak tones that Besant had to stoop to catch the accents.

"Yes, I am here, Jim; what is it?"

"Tell Jane I'm sorry I didn't treat her better, and, if the time had only to come over again I would—what was I saying—dark, it's all dark now—and—"

He was dead.

(To be Continued.)

HEROIC TREATMENT.

How Two Squaws Cured a White Man of Fever and Ague.

After a week or ten days the fever somewhat abated, says a writer in Forest and Stream, and Peter, taking my double-barreled rifle by way of armament and half a dozen hard biscuit by way of grub, gave notice of two days' absence, and, buckling his blanket about him, went off up the trail.

Late in the evening of the second day while I was lying on the bearskin with swimming brain and a fevered brow he came back, but not alone. Two strong, athletic squaws, each toting a large pack, were his companions. He introduced them as "Ole Blackbird squaws and he gal; pooty young squaw—great medicine."

The elder of the two was about as tough, leathery-looking a specimen of aboriginal ugliness as I have ever fallen in with, and making due allowances for difference in age the daughter was the perfect model of her. They both cast their loads unceremoniously aside and the elder proceeded at once to business. Watching me closely as she did so she rolled a large handful of leaves in her hand until they were partially pulverized, then passing them over to the younger squaw, who soon made a pint of very bitter tea from them which I was told to drink. I managed to gulp it down, hot and bitter as it was, and the old squaw then seized me without ceremony, packed me snugly in bear-skin and blankets, after which she and her daughter, wrapping their own blankets around them, lay down on either side of me, crowding me in a manner more close than pleasant.

I trust King David's medicine, which answered the purpose so well, was not a squaw—or, if she were, that she was young and good-looking.

My leathery belles answered, however, to help get up a copious perspiration, which was just what they intended, and when I awoke from the first sound refreshing sleep I had enjoyed for weeks it was with a cool, clear head and limbs free from pain.

With the rise of the sun the confounded ague began to threaten me, and Mrs. Blackbird, with the help of her interesting daughter, proceeded to take measures for expelling it in a manner quite as novel and original as her treatment of fever. First she undid a bundle of dirty blue cloth and took therefrom several bundles of neatly bound, minute twigs. I had heard some hard stories of "whippin' out the ager," and smelled a pretty extensive mice immediately, but on the whole concluded to go through, so I suffered them to divest me of my clothing and seize me firmly by the wrists, and made no objection even when Mrs. Blackbird began to apply the switchings gently to the bare skin. Gradually the blows increased in rapidity and severity. Old Peter, who had stood by as a spectator at first, stepped forward and seized a wrist firmly in each hand, so suddenly that I had no time to object; and the whipping immediately became energetic and general. Each of the squaws with a switch in each hand vied with the other in rapidity of hitting, and as the sluggish, torpid blood strove to dash with answering speed through the tingling veins the pain became unendurable. I had resolved to bear all that was asked of me in hope of a radical cure, but the torture was too severe, and I ordered them to desist, trying at the same time to wrench myself loose from Peter. They only laughed and laid on the harder. I became mad with pain and went in on my muscle, biting and butting furiously at old Peter and giving the leathery females ungallant kicks about the ribs and abdomen—a proceeding that made them laugh all the more and brought down the switches with increased vigor. I entreated and cursed by turns, tried bribery and flattery, begged for a resting spell, and threatened death to the party of conspirators immediately I got loose, but all in vain. They flogged me for a time that seemed an age, and only let me off when I was too exhausted to stand alone. Then I was again enveloped in skins and blankets, when, strange as it may seem, I almost immediately fell into a deep slumber, from which I did not awake until evening. When I did awake it was with a general sense of soreness all over the outer man; but where was the ague? Gone. Completely cured, as well as the fever.

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2. To purchase, or to take under any concession, lease, or in exchange, to hire, or otherwise acquire, settle, improve, farm and cultivate lands of any tenure, franchises, and hereditaments situate in the Dominion of Canada, the United States of America, or elsewhere, and any mines, minerals ships, steamboats, barges and other vessels, engines, railway waggons, tanks, reservoirs, manufacturing plant, apparatus, and stock-in-trade, and any other real and personal property of whatever description (including any rights or privileges), whether the same be unencumbered or subject to any mortgage, charge, lien, easements, privileges, licenses, concessions, or otherwise, and to develop and turn to account the resources of the lands, buildings, water, and other rights, and all other properties for the time being belonging to the Company in such manner as the Company may think fit, and in particular by building any kind of structure thereupon, planting, reclaiming, clearing, mining, quarrying, excavating, road-making, damming, draining, fencing, grazing, farming, and otherwise dealing with and working the same, and to stock lands and farms, and to breed, grow, and deal in all kinds of stock, cattle, horses, sheep, and produce, and to erect and maintain thereon suitable buildings and structures, including slaughtering, refrigerating, and converting establishments.

3. To carry on the business of farmers, graziers, agisters, cattle, sheep, and horse breeders and dealers, meat and fruit preservers, millers, bakers, brewers, maltsters, miners, metallurgists, smelters, quarry owners, brick makers, builders, contractors for works, both public and private, wool and other merchants, store-keepers, importers and exporters, ship-builders, ship-owners, and any other business which may seem calculated, directly or indirectly, to develop the Company's property, or any part thereof, or which may conveniently be carried on in connection with any other business of the Company.

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5. To aid, encourage, and promote immigration, emigration, colonization, and settlement, and for such purposes to lend and grant any sums of money, and to act as agents therefor, and to build, lay out, settle, colonize and develop towns and villages on the lands acquired or controlled by the Company from time to time.

6. To search for, prospect, examine and explore mines and grounds supposed to contain minerals or precious stones, and to search for and obtain information in regard to mines, to purchase, locate, or otherwise acquire, and to sell, dispose of, and deal with mines and mining rights of all kinds, and to work, crush, exercise, develop, and turn to account mines and mining rights, and any undertakings connected therewith.

7. To advance money at interest to any person or corporation on the security of freehold and leasehold land, stock, stations, wool, cattle, produce, crops, shares, securities, merchandise, and other property in the Dominion of Canada, the United States of America, or elsewhere, and generally to lend and advance money to such persons and upon such terms, and subject to such conditions as may seem expedient, and to buy, manufacture, dealize, and sell all kinds of goods, chattels, merchandise, produce, and effects.

8. To construct, execute, carry out, equip, improve, work, administer, manage, or control railways, tramways, warehouses, mills, stores, shops, markets, churches, hospitals, baths, and public and private works of all kinds in the said Dominion of Canada, the United States of America, or elsewhere, which may seem calculated directly or indirectly to enhance the value of any property in which the Company is interested.

9. To establish and subsidize any institution, club, or conveniences for the benefit of the Company's employees, and of any tenants or other person in whose welfare the Company is interested, and to provide for their religious, sanitary, social, and educational welfare, and to grant money for these purposes or any of them.

10. To purchase, or otherwise acquire and undertake all or any part of the business, property, and liabilities of any person, firm, or company possessed of property suitable for the purposes of this Company, or carrying on, or about to carry on, any business which this Company is authorized to carry on, or which is capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit this Company, and to enter into partnership, or into any arrangement for sharing profits, for union of interests, reciprocal concession, or co-operation, or amalgamation, either in whole or in part, with any such company, firm or person.

11. To take, or otherwise acquire, and hold, or sell shares, stock, bonds, debentures, or any other interest in any other company, whether British, Colonial or Foreign, in which the liability of the members is limited, having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this Company, or carrying on any business capable of being conducted so as to directly or indirectly benefit this Company, and to subsidize, or otherwise assist, any such Company.

12. To obtain any provisional order, or Act of Parliament, or legislative provision, decree, or order of any Colony, Government, body, or authority to incorporate the members as a body politic or corporate, in accordance with the laws and constitution of any country or state in which the Company shall be carrying on, or be desirous of carrying on, any of its operations, and to take all steps and do all things necessary to give the Company, or any company subsidiary thereto, a legal domicile in any such country or state, and such legislative powers as will facilitate the carrying into effect of the objects of the Company therein.

13. To borrow and raise money for the purposes of the Company in such manner and upon such terms as the Company shall think fit, and to secure the repayment thereof by bonds or debentures, or by redeemable or unredeemable debenture stock (such bonds, debentures, and debenture stock being to bearer or otherwise), or by any other instruments, or by deposit, receipts, bills of exchange, or promissory notes, or in such other manner as may be determined, and for any such purposes, if so agreed, to charge all or any part of the property of the Company (both present and future) including the unpaid capital.

14. To transact all manner of agency and commission business, and in particular to act as agents for any person or company in the purchase, sale, improvement, or management in any way of any lands, farms, cattle, stock, or other property in the Dominion of Canada, the United States of America, or elsewhere, where the company may for the time then being be carrying on business, and to carry on the business of general commercial, mercantile, shipping, or forwarding agents, or agents for any railway, steamship, or other company.

15. To lend or advance money to such persons on such terms as may seem expedient, and in particular to customers of and persons having dealings with the Company, and to guarantee the performance of contracts by members of or persons having dealings with the Company.

16. To invest and deal with the moneys of the Company not immediately required upon such securities and in such manner, as may from time to time be determined, but not in the purchasing of or dealing in the shares of the Company.

17. To make, draw, accept, indorse, discount, and execute promissory notes, bills of exchange and other negotiable instruments.

18. To promote any other company for the purpose of acquiring all or any of the property, rights, and liabilities of the Company, or for any other purpose which may seem, directly or indirectly, calculated to benefit this Company.

19. To sell, dispose of by sale, lease, underlease, exchange, surrender, mortgage, or otherwise absolutely, conditionally, or for any limited interest, all or any part of the undertaking, property, rights, or privileges of the Company as a going concern, or otherwise, to any person or any body, company, society, or association, or to any person or persons, and in particular to any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this Company, and to accept as the consideration, or part of the consideration, for such disposal [illegible] shares, debentures, or securities, either for distribution in specie among the members, or otherwise.

20. To use, work, develop, grant licenses and otherwise make profits by dealing with and turning to account all or any part of the undertaking and property of the Company, and for this purpose to determine how much of the proceeds of sale or realisation thereof is to be deemed capital, and how much profit, and to distribute any such profits among the members in specie or otherwise.

21. To allot the shares of the Company, credited as fully or partly paid up, as the whole or part of the purchase price for any property purchased by the Company, or for any valuable consideration.

22. To remunerate any person or persons for services rendered, or to be rendered, in placing, or guaranteeing the placing, of any shares or securities of the Company, or in relation to the establishment of the Company, or the conduct of its business, and to apply and appropriate such parts of the capital of the Company as may be expedient to the payment of such brokerage, discounts, or other expenses as may be deemed incidental to the formation and promotion of the Company, and the placing of its shares and debentures, or any part thereof.

23. To do all or any of the above things as principals, agents, contractors, trustees, or otherwise, and by or through trustees, agents, or otherwise, and either alone or in conjunction with others, and to contract for the carrying on of the operations connected with the Company's business, or any of them, by any person, company, or other association.

24. To carry out the objects comprised in each paragraph of this clause in as full and ample a manner, and construed in as wide a sense as they would be construed if each paragraph of this clause defined the objects of a separate, distinct, and independent company, and so that such objects shall not, except where otherwise expressed in such paragraph, be restricted by reference to the objects indicated in any other paragraph.

25. To do all such other things as in fact are, or as the company shall consider to be, incidental or conducive to the above objects, or any of them, and so that the word "company" in this memorandum, except where used in reference to this company, shall be deemed to include any partnership or other body of persons, whether incorporated or not incorporated, and wherever domiciled.

The amount of the capital stock of the said company is £100,000, divided into 100 founders' shares of £1 each, and 9900 ordinary shares of £10 each.

The place of business of the said company is located at the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia.

In testimony whereof, I have hereto set my hand and affixed my seal of office, this 8th day of June, 1891, at the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

July 15 tu.

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List of fine property, among which may be found bottom prices for the close buyer, good investments for the speculator and choice residential sites for the builder.

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40 Acres Carey Road, nice land, 2½ miles from city, per acre	$ 200
25 Acres Carey Road, all cleared	300
Lot Fourth Street, Work Estate	650
Lot Garbally Road	750
Lot Dunedin Street	750
3 Fine Lots Langford Street, Victoria West	750
Nice House and Lot Pioneer Street	3,000
House and Lot on Cook Street, rents for $41 per month	4,000
House, 7 rooms, Victoria West	2,800
2 Corner Lots James Bay, each	750
Lot Douglas Street	2,200
½ Lot Broad Street, cheap.	
1 Acre Belcher Street	2,550
Fine Corner Douglas Street	32,000
3 Houses, 3 Lots, Frederick Street	10,000
2 Lots, fine corner, James Bay	2,500

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NOTES FOR THE DOCTORS.

DR. KOCH'S lymph may not, according to German law, be patented.

IN a recent article in the Nineteenth Century, Dr. Snow points to the fact that cancer is increasing. The death rate, which in 1864 was 385 per million, had risen to 610 in 1888.

SIR MORELL MACKENZIE objects to large hospitals on the ground that the added virulence of germs from the bodies of many patients is as dangerous as that of those emanating from dead bodies.

DR. SULLIVAN WHITNEY, the first American physician who manufactured homeopathic medicines, has just died at his home in Newtonville, Mass., at the age of eighty-three. He was graduated from Harvard Medical School nearly fifty years ago.

DRS. BERTIN and Pieq, of Nantes, France, have been conducting consumption-cure experiments on the observation that goats are exempt from the disease, and they now announce that consumptive patients injected with goat blood have been greatly benefited.

DR. R. G. ECCLES points out that the danger of diseases is as a rule in the direct ratio of the carelessness with which they are regarded. He says that diseases may be classed as more or less fatal as people are afraid of them and seek proper advice to both prevent and cure.

THE physicians of Havana are successfully inoculating new arrivals in Cuba against yellow fever, through mosquitoes that have contaminated themselves by stinging yellow-fever patients. Fifty-two cases of mosquito inoculation have been followed up. Of them only about 8 per cent. subsequently contracted the disease, with a mortality of less than 2 per cent.

TOLD IN ART CIRCLES.

MADEMOISELLE DIETZ is a new Swiss artist who is beginning to achieve fame. She paints with her toes.

P. A. B. WIDENER, of Philadelphia, bought $87,750 worth of pictures at the late Seney art sale in New York.

MR. SENEY, the Brooklyn art patron, who has just now sold a choice collection, says he thinks the four greatest living painters are Cazin, Knaus, Inness and Israels. The last leads the Dutch school.

ROUEN hopes to erect a statue to the painter Gericault. The mayor has taken the matter in hand, and expects, if the doubtful finances of the city permit, to get the memorial in position by September 26, 1891, the one hundredth anniversary of the artist's birth.

BARONESS NATHANIEL ROTHSCHILD, who recently purchased the celebrated Strauss collection of objects of Hebraic art, has presented it to the Cluney museum in Paris. One of the finest and most curious objects is a huge ark of walnut wood, ornamented with fifty-four panels, superbly carved.

CACCIARI, the new art-loving prince of Paris, gave a dinner to celebrate his purchase of "The Angelus." One of the features of the entertainment was a commemorative medal in silver in the napkin of each guest. On one side there was an engraving of "The Angelus," and on the other the date of the dinner, with an explanatory inscription.

TRICKS OF CUPID.

HE—"Charlotte, I love you; can you not return my affection?" She—"I'm afraid I'll have to, as I have no use for it."

IN Lake county, Tenn., a short time since, a young man of twenty-seven married a widow of forty-nine, who has seventeen living children.

IN Louisville, Ky., the other day, Polly Ann Collins, aged twelve years, was married to Jesse Donahue, a widower, thirty-three years old. Polly's parents consenting.

A RIVAL lover of a Sturgis (Mich.) girl succeeded in getting a temporary postponement of the other fellow's marriage to her by having his new dress suit stolen from the tailor shop.

WITHIN seven minutes after a couple entered the Atchison courthouse the other day they came out man and wife. The license had been obtained and the ceremony performed within that brief time.

MAJOR CRUST—"So you refuse me, Miss Fondant?" Miss F.—"I'm very sorry Major Crust, but your son has just proposed to me, and I accepted him." Major C.—"Good gracious! You don't mean to say the boy has been such an ass."

MISS WINTHROP—"Poor Jack has now been a full-fledged architect for six months, and he hasn't had a single commission. He designs beautiful houses." Mr. Townes—"Miss Winthrop—Rosalie—can't I persuade you to let your brother design a nice country house for—for us?"

SANITARY CLIPPINGS.

NEVER breathe through the mouth unless it is impossible to breathe through the nose.

WATER kept in a room for awhile is unfit for use, and ice water should always be kept covered up.

A WET silk handkerchief tied, without folding, over the face is a complete security against suffocation from smoke. It permits free breathing and, at the same time, excludes the smoke from the lungs.

VENTILATION is a provision of nature too often abused. Every sleeping room should have its windows open an hour every morning, and all the bed clothing laid open to the air, where, if possible, the sun can shine upon them.

A SUSPECTED joint in a sewer or drain pipe may be tested by wrapping it with a single layer of white muslin moistened with a solution of acetate of lead. As the gas escapes through the meshes of the cloth, it will be blackened by the sulphur compounds.

THE danger of infection from impure water is said to be only slightly reduced by filtration through sand, bacteria passing through at all times, but in larger numbers just after the filter has been cleaned and again after it has been used for some time.

A Land Grant Suit.

PORTLAND, July 27.—The Oregon and California Railroad Company to-day commenced suit in the United States circuit court against fifty-three land holders who have taken up claims within the limit of the old Oregon Central grant, for the purpose of compelling them to quiet title to lands they have filed on. Complaint alleges that the land office had no right to receive filings. The land under dispute was granted to the old Oregon Central road by an Act of Congress passed May 4, 1870, and as the Oregon and California Company succeeded the old company, and assumed all its indebtedness, plaintiffs claim they also came into the possession of all the lands acquired by the Oregon and California Company through patents from the United States Government. The case promises to lead to endless litigation, and several hundred others who have filed the same way will be affected by the decision of the court.

What was the Cause of the Shriek?

CONSACKIE, N. Y., July 28.—While the steamer Kaaterskill was coming north at full speed near Red Hook on Saturday night, loud cries for help were heard from the surface of the river. The steamer was stopped and a lifeboat was lowered, but nothing could be learned as to the source of the shrieks. It is feared a small boat was run down by the steamer and its occupants drowned. The state camp is near, but the commandant telegraphs that none of his men are missing, nor is any boat known to be missing along the river.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer Olympian from the Sound.—O Selling, Jas Chapman, Miss C Cobler, Miss K Cobler, J W Sladin, J Anderson, wife and daughter, Wm Bradley, L Lucas, J W Reed, J W Spencer, G W Pallon, Miss C Johnson, Wm Banfield, Wm Hurley, J N Labell, A Rhodes, Ed Heather, E B Hill, J Murphy, M Warren, J Irvin, W McFail, F Campbell.

Per str. City of Kingston from the Sound.—J Barker, J Hersell, G Justice, J B Borkes, S Struthers, W R Lindsley and wife, G Leviste, Crosby, R Martin, W J McKay, Sophie Avry, Ethel davies, J W Lindsley, J W Peck, wife and daughter, J D Core, Mrs Humphrey, Miss Drimins, Mrs Hide, Mrs Hinkley and daughter, Mrs Hayne, Emma Pollard, J Schulze, W F Herper, A Myrow, E E Phyer, J Cole, Miss Pierre, C O'Brien, L H Uhley, P Ellis, Mrs Brown, C P Hegue and wife, Mrs Hummer, G Ramsay, F McGinley, A H Co.o, T N Burbee, Emma Wilson, H McLeod, T P West, J Peel and wife, Mrs G P Brown, Miss Brown, W R Yelke, W A G Hezen, J D Hall, Mrs Williams, Miss Christinson, J H Keibett and wife, Miss Barber, J Hobbs, W H Young, S Wolfe, H C West.

Per steamer Yosemite from Vancouver—Mrs Jenns, Mrs Wells, D Garvey, M Ireland, W A Shaw, S Powell, E Musgrave, F P Medina, E Waller, B F Rogers, F Martin, J Yates, M McMillan, C M Beecher, T Carter, J Gray, N Beckson, W H Langley, Wm Neuston, Capt A Peake, S Fletcher, A E Pittenrigh, W E Thompson, R J Tillson, Miss Bates, Georgie Cordingly, Mrs C Soper, J Lowe, D Nicholson and wife, Mrs Jenns, J Thompson, W D Pittenger, J Wales, Maude Pittenger, E Marvin, D M Hosie, Mr R A Byrn, R Collister, H Smalley, J H Ward, J T Scott, J T O'Dwyer, S N Roman, T D Lindsley, W H Bartheloinew, Annie C Christie, J C Chamberlin, George Turnbull, J Cameron, W N Brownlee, S McKenzie, S Robertson, Miss Benon, T C Shaw, W H Miller, A Spunkes, W and R Leishman.

CONSIGNEES.

Per str. City of Kingston from the Sound.—E G Prior & Co, Turner, Beeton & Co, Ellis & Co, J Sommers, R H Hall, Colbert & Warner, Edison Gen El Co, G P Corbett, Sproule & Wood & Glenn, McMillan & H, I Townsend, J S Anderson, Vale & Brooks, Good Shepherd Convent, E B Marvin & Co, Jno Cort, Moore & Co, W & Van T Co, Jas Baker, Victoria T Co.

Per steamer Yosemite from Vancouver—National Electric Tramway Co, W J McCurley, Hudson Bay Co, Waller & Downey, T Ellis, S Leiser, R H Jameson, E B Marvin Order, J Weller, J R K McInnes, Braden & Stamford, F Lubby, Langley & Co, Carne & Munsie, Vale & Brooks, J Hawkins, Brown & White, McLennan & McF, S H Romans, Mrs E Cordingly, T White, Dom Exp Co.

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Death of an Old Printer.

BALTIMORE, Md., July 28.—Samuel Sands died to-day in his 92nd year. He was probably the oldest living printer, his apprenticeship having begun in 1811. Nearly half a century ago he published the "American Farmer," the first agricultural paper published in this country.

Dyspepsia

Intense Suffering for 8 years—Restored to Perfect Health.

Few people have suffered more severely from dyspepsia than Mr. E. A. McMahon, a well known grocer of Staunton, Va. He says: "Before 1878 I was in excellent health, weighing over 200 pounds. In that year an ailment developed into acute dyspepsia, and soon I was reduced to 162 pounds, suffering burning sensations in the stomach, palpitation of the heart, nausea, and indigestion. I could not sleep, lost all heart in my work, had fits of melancholia, and for days at a time I would have welcomed death. I became morose, sullen and irritable, and for eight years life was a burden. I tried many physicians and many remedies. One day a workman employed by me suggested that I take Hood's Sarsaparilla, as it had cured his wife of dyspepsia. I did so, and before taking the whole of a bottle I began to feel like a new man. The terrible pains to which I had been subjected, ceased, the palpitation of the heart subsided, my stomach became easier, nausea disappeared, and my entire system began to tone up. With returning strength came activity of mind and body. Before the fifth bottle was taken I had regained my former weight and natural condition. I am today well and I ascribe it to taking Hood's Sarsaparilla."

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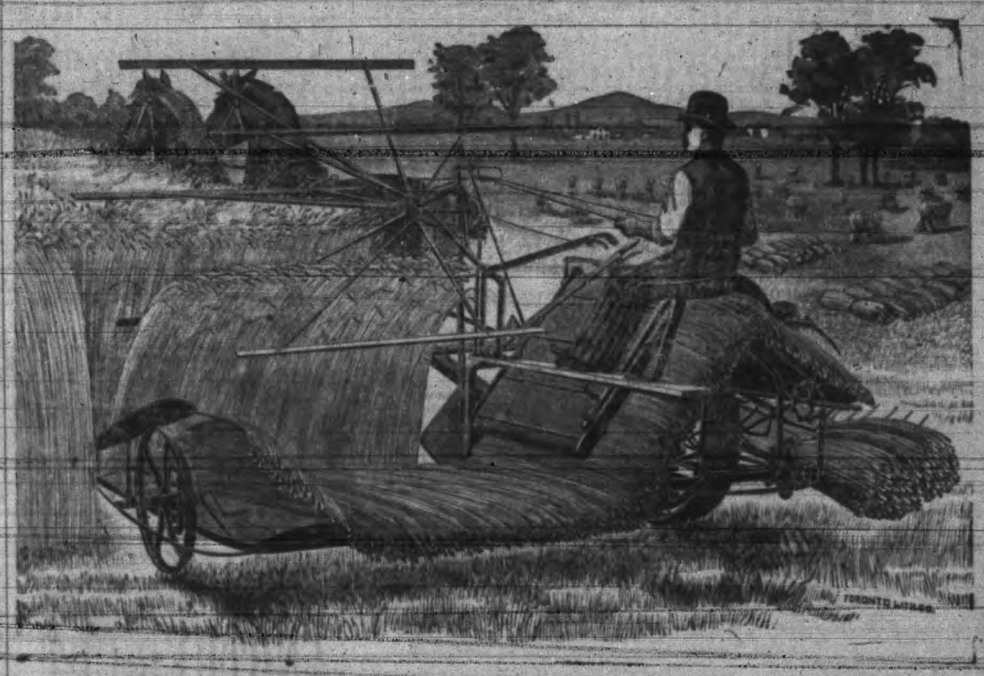
Dec. 30.



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By order, O. WEILER,
jy11-1m Secretary.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

TO OUR PATRONS—The Victoria Electric Company purpose immediately entering upon an extension of their works by the erection of a new and commodious plant house and plant of large capacity, capable of accommodating the ever-increasing demand.

The new station will be located on Constance street, where, aided by superior facilities for the production of Light, Power, etc., combined with large output, they will be able to offer even better service, at a very materially reduced cost to consumers.

Pending the completion of these works, every effort will be made to continue the past reliable service, and to deal with patrons fairly. Any bettering, however, that they have a grievance are invited to have the difficulty adjusted by presenting under signed.

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By order, THOS. C. [illegible]
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Victoria, July, 1891.

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Dec. 30.

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$600—Will buy 2 Lots close to the junction of the Cadboro Bay Road and Oak Bay Avenue car lines. The Cadboro Bay Road car line runs in front of the property. Terms: $100 cash, balance in 12 months.

$850—1 Lot on Fernwood road, near Bay street, James Bay. Terms: $100 cash, balance in 12 months.

$1200—1 Lot, Cor. Cook and Fernwood roads, 60x120 ft. Terms: $300 cash, balance in 12 months.

$1250—Will buy 2 Lots on Superior street, James Bay, near Menzies street. Terms: $300 cash, balance in 12 months.

$1500—Will buy 10 acres, near Cadboro Bay, Terms: $300 cash; $300 in 6 months, and balance in 2 years at 7%. Or we will sell you half of the above property on easy terms, including 5 acres of Wood and Timber, for $2000 cash.

$1700—A Cottage of 5 rooms, Cook street, near Cedar Hill road, on lot 50x135 to a lane. Terms: $500 cash, balance in one year at 8%.

$1700—1 Lot on Montreal street, on easy terms.

$1700—1 Lot, cor. Leighton road and Blanshard avenue.

$2000—Will buy a new Cottage of 5 rooms, Chatham street, near King's road. Terms: $500 cash, balance in monthly payments of $25 without interest.

$2000—Will buy a large new House, 10 rooms, on lot 60x108, choice garden, on Oak Bay avenue.

$3500—Will buy a Cottage on James Bay, $500 cash, balance in monthly payments of $25 without interest.

$3750—Will buy a new Cottage and Furniture, on Chatham street, close to Blanshard.

$4400—We will sell you a new Cottage on lot 60x108, choice garden, on Oak Bay avenue.

$5000—Will buy a new House, 10 rooms, and lot 60x120, on Fernwood road, near Bay street. Terms: $500 cash, balance at 8%.

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WEATHER REPORT.

VICTORIA, B. C., July 29, 1891.
Corrected by Mr. F. C. Gamble, C. E.

Time	Ther'ter	Bar.	Wind.	Remarks.
1 p.m	68.0	30.05	S by W	Fair
6 p.m	61.0	29.99	S W by S	Cloudy
10 p.m	54.0	29.98		Clear.
8 a.m	56.0	30.03	SW	Fair
1 p.m	60.0	30.07	S W by S	"

Temperature—Highest, 70; lowest, 54.

TIDE RECORD—VICTORIA HARBOR, B.C.

For 24 hours ending 1 p.m. July 29, 1891.
Datum—Ordinary low water Spring tides.
Lowest water observed 1.5 below datum, Jan. 10 and 11, 1891.
Highest, 10.16 above datum, Dec. 25, 1890.

TUESDAY, July, 28.				WEDNESDAY, July, 29.			
H.	Tide ft above datum	H.	Tide ft above datum.	H.	Tide ft above datum.	H.	Tide ft above datum.
1	5.08	8	8.30	1	5.25	8	4.16
2	5.08	9	8.06	2	3.75	9	4.75
3	5.42	10	8.25	3	2.92	10	5.25
4	6.00	11	7.65	4	2.65	11	5.50
5	6.75	12	6.50	5	2.65	12	5.65
6	7.33			6	3.00	1	5.83
7	8.06			7	3.50		

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World, Here and Elsewhere.

THE GUN.

The eighteenth annual meeting of the B.C.R.A., which opened this morning at Goldstream, took place in glorious weather, the wind a trifle tricky, but otherwise everything in favor of the competitors. His Honor the Lieutenant Governor was present, and Mrs. Nelson formally opened the ranges by scoring the orthodox bull's eye. There were whispers that she didn't score, but they were only slanders.

Lieut.Col. Wolfenden, vice-president of the association, welcomed His Honor to the eighteenth annual meeting of the association.

Lieut.-Governor Nelson replied that it gave him very much pleasure indeed to be present on such an occasion; he hoped the meeting would be a successful one and that a representative number of the members would not only be able to obtain a position on the Ottawa team, but from that would be able to represent British Columbia on the Canadian team at Bisley. (Hear, hear.)

Col. Holmes also gave expression to the satisfaction it gave him to be present, and tendered the association his warmest wishes for success. He promised to be with them as much as possible during the meeting.

The competitors number about 40 and there is promise not only of a good meeting, but some good shooting. The Extra Series at 200, 400, 500 and 600 yards were shot off this morning. As the number of entries is unlimited in these series, they are availed of more as "feelers" than actual competitions. Still there were some good averages taken this morning.

This afternoon the regular competitions commenced and will continue probably during the week. The correct scores will be published in due course.

Captain Peel is master of the ranges, while Capt. Fletcher (secretary) and Capt. Dorman (treasurer) attend promptly to the requirements or complaints of the competitors.

CYCLING.

Cyclists intending to make Goldstream their objective point will do well to take with them a pair of heavy walking boots, because it will be necessary to tramp more than half the way.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

G. H. Keays is sick at the Jubilee Hospital.

M. Lenz leaves for San Francisco August 2nd, by the Umatilla.

Edward O'Brien, publisher of the Irish Standard, Minneapolis, is in town.

F. Murray, the "big man" of the San Francisco police force, is in the city visiting his parents.

Wm. Christie, of the telegraph office, is still very sick with bronchitis. He was somewhat better to-day.

W. L. Ogle of the Toronto Gutta Percha and Rubber Company who has been in the city for several days leaves for home to-night.

A. J. Leland, travelling freight and passenger agent of the Northwestern line C. St. P., M. & O. Railway, Portland, is in town.

Frank Campbell, who was among the large number of Victorians who went over to Port Townsend yesterday to meet the steamer Victorian, became so enamored of the latter city that he forgot the hour his vessel was to leave and missed her. He came home by the Olympian this morning.

DIED.

REDMOND.—In this city, on the 28th instant, Pumena, the beloved wife of W. H. Redmond, a native of Montreal, aged 22 years. The funeral will take place to-morrow (Thursday) at 2.30 p.m., from the family residence, Scoresby street, and at 10 o'clock at St. Andrew's pro-Cathedral, View street. Friends are invited to attend.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LECTURE.

PROFESSOR J. W. ROBERTSON,
DOMINION DAIRY COMMISSIONER,
Will give a Lecture on
MONDAY EVENING, AUG. 10,
AT "THE VICTORIA."
under the auspices of the
B. C. AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION.
Subject: AGRICULTURE IN CANADA.
ADMISSION, FIFTY CENTS.
Proceeds to be devoted to the building fund of the Association. jul29-d&w-1it

THE B.C. HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY
AND
FRUIT GROWERS' ASSOCIATION.
The annual Exhibition will be held in
PHILHARMONIC HALL,
Victoria, B.C.,
TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY,
AUGUST 11th & 12th.
Exhibition of Flowers, Fruits and Vegetables.
Catalogues and entry forms can be obtained from
A. H. B. MACGOWAN, Secretary, Vancouver, and
W. H. RAINBRIDGE, Local Sec'y, Victoria, B.C.
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VANCOUVER AND QUADRA LODGE
AN EMERGENCY MEETING OF VANCOUVER & Quadra Lodge, No. 2, A.F.&A.M. this evening at 8 o'clock. Work in first and second degree. Sojourning brethren in good standing are invited. jy29-1t

The Ministerial Association of Victoria
Has decided to call a
PUBLIC MEETING
To express sympathy with the French Canadian work of the Salvation Army, to be held in the
OLD METHODIST CHURCH,
Corner Pandora and Broad Sts,
On WEDNESDAY, July 29th,
AT 8 P.M.
Ministers of various churches have promised to take part, as also Staff-Captain and Mrs. Simco.
ALL ARE CORDIALLY INVITED.
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A NICE RANGE OF

Dress Goods at	yd 12½
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A Large Stock of Embroideries at Cost.

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Children's Cotton Stockings	pair 12½

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House, 10 rooms, Quadra street, at $35 per month.

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